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# COUNCIL PLANS FOR 6,600 MORE HOMES

## South Oxfordshire residents asked for their views



PLAYERS and coaching staff at London Welsh were given a break from their usual training regime to take

go at parachute training and tour of RAF Brize Norton on Monday.

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RESIDENTS in South Oxfordshire are being asked for their thoughts on a possible extra 6,600 homes being built in the district, on top of the 11,400 already planned as part of the council's Local Plan.

The district council has launched a consultation asking residents where they think the best locations for the extra housing would be.

It comes after the Oxfordshire Strategic Housing Market Assessment last year said that at least 3,600 more houses were needed in the district between now and 2031.

This is in addition to the 11,000 homes put forward in the district council's Local Plan.

And provision for an extra 3,000 houses may also need to be found to fill the unmet quota of Oxford City Council, who say they do not have space to build their allocation.

SODC has said it believes most of these houses should be in the Science Vale area around Didcot, and in the district's towns and larger villages.

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Angie Paterson, SODC's cabinet member for planning policy, said: "The response to our initial consultation last summer has helped us draw up these more defined options.

"Local people clearly recognise the need for more housing.

"This is an additional phase of consultation to help us gather views on the best way of distributing the new houses."

Some of the larger villages in the district that are being considered for further development include Culham, Berinsfield, Benson and Cholsey.

But Philip Cross, district councillor for Berinsfield, said that the housing strategy for South Oxfordshire has been agreed and should be left as it is.

He said: "We set out a clear plan for the next 15 years and as far as I'm concerned that is entirely sufficient for the needs of the district.

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# Review demanded for 'confusing' roundabout

AN ABINGDON district councillor has called upon the county council to undertake a review of a 'confusing' roundabout after it was remodelled last year.

Jim Halliday's motion for Vale of White Horse District Council to request a thorough review into the Wootton Road roundabout from the county council was unanimously passed last Wednesday.

It comes after the roundabout was remodelled last April as part of efforts to make the junction safer for cyclists.

The entrances to the round-

about were narrowed, and the centre lane was paved to deter motorists from using it.

But Cllr Halliday, Liberal Democrat member for Abingdon Fitzharris, is concerned that the changes - particularly the paved lane in the middle - have made the roundabout confusing for drivers, which he said has led to an increased number of accidents there.

He said: "Drivers are clearly

confused by it.

"We've asked the chief executive of the district council to write to the county council asking for the highways engineers to look at the roundabout again and change things.

"Hopefully this will reduce the queues and make it clearer for people to know what they are doing."

But county council spokesman Dominic Llewellyn-Jones said that the authority wasn't planning a review any time soon.

He said: "We are not currently considering any kind of review,

although as standard after any scheme we always monitor it for a couple of years at least in order to determine if it's safe and working how we had hoped.

"The accident record since it was done is only two relatively minor accidents which happened soon after the roundabout opened, and we haven't had anything since then so we don't consider it to be a particular issue."

He continued: "Obviously we'll monitor it but we don't feel there's anything out of the ordinary there."

## News Bites

### House burglary

OVER KIDDINGTON: Police are appealing for witnesses after an iPhone and cash was stolen from a house in Park Road, Over Kiddington, near Woodstock last Wednesday.

It happened at around 2.30pm, when the thief entered the house through an open back door and stole the items from the dining room table.

He then ran off along the A44 towards Chipping Norton.

Call 101 with details.

### Bat assault

OXFORD: A 35-year-old man was attacked with a baseball bat by two men in Howard Street on February 18.

It happened at 5.51pm, and the victim was left with a broken nose, severe bruising to his hands and legs, and a small abrasion to his head.

He was taken to the John Radcliffe Hospital for treatment, and was discharged the following day.

Call 101 with information.

### Pub fun day

OXFORD: A family fun day is being held at the Bullnose Morris pub in Cowley to raise funds for Comic Relief.

Entertainment will include live music from a Mumford and Sons tribute act, bungee run, bouncy castle and face painting.

Admission is free but all proceeds go to charity. The event starts at Midday.

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## Two arrested after spate of robberies reported in Didcot

TWO men from Didcot have been arrested following a series of robberies in the town last Friday.

Four incidents were recorded between 3.30am and 11pm, with police believing them all to be linked.

The first happened in Basil Hill Road as a man was walking near the sewage works, when he was approached by two men who threatened him with a knife and demanded money.

The second robbery was outside the shops in Loxton Place at 2.15pm, when the two men again threatened someone with a knife, this time a

44-year-old woman.

Another robbery was reported at the same location at 10.25pm, when a 27-year-old woman was approached by a man with a knife.

And the final incident took place in Avon Way at 11pm, with the victim a 29-year-old woman.

Money was taken during the first two robberies.

The two men - aged 29 and 20 - were arrested on suspicion of robbery, and are currently in police custody.

Anyone with further information about the incidents is asked to contact police on the 101 non-emergency number.

# £48m homes deal is agreed for Barton

A MULTI-MILLION pound deal which will see Oxford City Council buy 354 homes to use for social housing on Barton Park has been signed.

The council is set to spend £47.9million on the properties, with the first work due to begin on the 885-home Barton development next month.

It is part of the authority's plans to create more affordable housing in the city, after Oxford was revealed to have the highest average house prices in the UK outside of London in last year's Centre for Cities report.

And the council has said the new affordable homes - which

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will make up 40 per cent of the development - are designed to be "spacious and energy efficient".

Scott Seamons, the city council's board member for housing and estate regeneration, said: "Delivering new high quality affordable housing is the top priority for the city council.

"Over 950 new council homes alone are planned in the next decade.

"This agreement is an important step in realising those plans

as it moves us closer to getting the flagship Barton development underway."

The deal has been agreed between the council and property developer Grosvenor Developments Limited.

It comes after the council approved a reserved matters planning application from the developers earlier this month, which paved the way for work to start on the site.

Construction of the first homes will start later in the year, with the initial social housing units being transferred to the council from late 2016.

Alex Robinson, development

manager at Grosvenor Developments, said: "This deal is an important step in providing much needed new affordable housing in Oxford."

"Following the reserved matters approval this month, we hope to start work in the spring with the first houses on site in early 2016."

As well as housing, the development also includes plans for a primary school, supermarket, and community facilities including sports pitches, a park and public squares.

Last week city council leader Bob Price said he hoped that all building work on the site would

be completed by the early part of 2018.

He added that residents may be able to start moving in to the new homes around this time next year.

The news comes as residents moved into the first three homes in Leiden Road, Wood Farm, as part of the council's £17m Affordable Homes programme to deliver 113 affordable homes across the city.

The programme's remaining 110 homes will be at Bradlands in Marston, Cardinal Close in Littlemore, Bury Knowle Depot in Headington and Priory Road in Minchery Farm.

Consultation launched for South Oxon homes shortfall

• *From front page*

"The core strategy has been laid out and agreed by everybody and we should stick to it."

In Berinsfield, the council has said that expansion plans might lead to a new secondary school being built in the village.

Cllr Cross added: "It all depends if there is a need [for a school]. There's no point if there aren't sufficient people to attend it."

Six consultation events have been planned by the council, taking place in Benson, Cholsey, Crowmarsh, Goring, Nettlebed and Chinnor next month.

The consultation itself closes on April 2.

For more details or to comment, go to [southoxon.gov.uk/options](http://southoxon.gov.uk/options).

## Petition calls on county council to start divesting

CAMPAIGN group Fossil Free Oxfordshire handed over a 1,200 signature petition to Oxfordshire County Council leader Ian Hudspeth on Tuesday, urging the authority to end its investments in fossil fuel companies.

The petition is calling on the council to freeze any new investments in fossil fuels, and divest from all fossil fuel-related funds within five years.

Al Chisholm of Fossil Free Oxfordshire said: "Oxford City Council has taken a strong lead by including fossil fuel companies amongst the exclusions in its ethical investment policy.

"Now we want Oxfordshire County Council to move nearly £50million away from fossil fuel companies and put it into investments that are less finan-

cially risky and better for the planet."

It comes after a protest was held in Oxford city centre last week against all fossil fuel investments.

More than 100 people gathered in Bonn Square and outside the Radcliffe Camera on February 14 calling for divestment from fossil fuel companies.

Marcus Mabberley, spokesman for the county council, said: "The Oxfordshire Pension Fund Committee manages the pension scheme on behalf of over 100 employers across the county, including the county and city councils.

"The committee determined that there was no clear financial justification for divesting in fossil fuel companies currently."



• (from left) Ian Hudspeth receives the petition from Fossil Free Oxfordshire campaigners Al Chisholm, Virginia Allport and Jill Green

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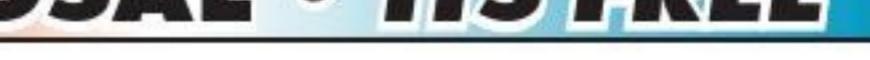
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# District councils agree not to raise their tax rate share

RESIDENTS in South Oxfordshire, West Oxfordshire, Cherwell and Vale of White Horse will not see their district council tax bills rise, after all four agreed their budgets in the past week.

Those living in South Oxfordshire will see their bills drop by three per cent to £111.24, while the other three councils agreed to freeze their rates at the current level.

It comes after Oxford City Council and Oxfordshire County Council both elected to put their rates up by 1.99 per cent last week - the maximum possible without having to hold a referendum.

Vale of White Horse councillors agreed their budget last Wednesday to keep their annual tax bills at £116.69.

Also agreed was £500,000 for improvements to Abingdon's Abbey Meadow, and £154,000 to be used for the refurbishment

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of the play areas in Wantage Memorial Park and Pye Street in Faringdon.

Matthew Barber, leader of the council, said: "While we can't control how other authorities set their own rates I hope people appreciate that they will not be asked to pay more for the services we provide."

South Oxfordshire District Council met last Thursday to agree their budget, which as well as the drop in tax rates, also saw £1.5million allocated to support community projects across the district.

Also approved was £250,000 to put towards flood prevention, including money for work at Moulsoford to avoid a repeat of the sewerage flooding from 2014.

SODC leader John Cotton said:

"There are very few councils who have been able to reduce their share of the council tax year on year in the way that we have."

Cherwell District Council met on Monday, where they decided to keep their rates the same at £123.50.

Ken Atack, Cherwell's lead member for finance, said: "In times of austerity we are tasked with providing the same services to our residents but on a decreasing budget, and are proud that we do so without passing on the charge to residents."

And West Oxfordshire District Council met yesterday where they approved the recommendation to keep their rates at £81.63.

Capital projects also approved included £184,300 for the deployment of superfast broadband, and £200,000 for the council's community grants fund.

## Tesco pulls out of Marston

A PLANNED Tesco store in Marston will now not go ahead, it was revealed last week.

The supermarket giant had wanted to build a store on Old Marston Road - the site of the former Old Friars pub - but confirmed that this will not go ahead.

Campaigners had been battling Tesco's plans for the site ever since they were first announced in 2009, with concerns raised about the impact on business it could have on local shops.

Mick Haines, Oxford City Councillor for Marston, said: "It's been a long battle, and it's a real good result for us.

"I would like to see a Wetherspoons pub there [instead] because we've lost so many pubs in the area recently.

"Other than that, I would like to see social hous-

ing in there as it is very important for the local people who have lived here for years."

Fflur Sheppard, spokesman for Tesco, said: "We are sorry to confirm that we will not be able to deliver the investment that we had intended for this site."

She added: "Our priority now is to work with the local planning authority and key stakeholders over the coming weeks to find alternative uses for the site's future."



• Cllr Mick Haines

## News Bites

### Cone attack

OXFORD: Two teenagers and a man have been arrested after a 35-year-old was chased and had traffic cones thrown at him in Cowley Road last Thursday.

It happened at around 3pm near the City Arms pub.

One of the offenders was carrying an axe and three men were then seen driving a maroon transit van towards the victim, who escaped uninjured.

Investigating officer Det Sgt Kevin Parsons of Force CID said: "I would like to reassure the public that this was not a random attack."

"However I would be grateful to hear from anyone who has any information about the offence."

The three men arrested, aged 17, 19 and 27 and all from Oxford, have been released on bail until March 19.

### Head retiring

ABINGDON: Headteacher of Abingdon School, Felicity Lusk, has announced that she will be retiring at the end of August 2016.

Miss Lusk will have been at the school for six years.

Adrian Burn, chairman of governors at the school, said: "It is with reluctance that we contemplate the loss of such an impressive leader."

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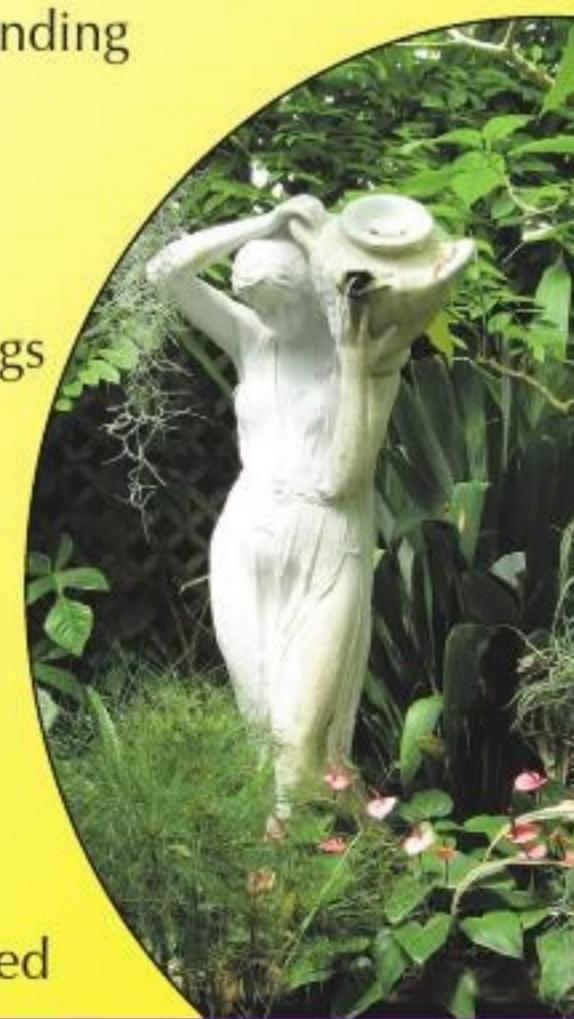
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**News Bites****Official charity**

GROVE: Williams Formula One team has announced that the Spinal Injuries Association (SIA) has become the company's official charity.

Team principal Sir Frank Williams became spinal cord injured following a car accident in 1986 and received support from the charity.

**Antiques talk**

ABINGDON: Antiques Roadshow presenter Christopher Rayne is the special guest at the Riverly Club in Abingdon next Wednesday.

The free event will allow visitors to find out more about the world of antiques as Christopher shares his tips for collecting.

It starts at 5pm. To book a place, call the club on 01235 520439.

**Trade fair**

WITNEY: Budding entrepreneurs are set to come to Witney as the North and West Oxfordshire Area of Young Enterprise stages its first trade fair in Marriots Walk Shopping Centre on March 14.

Students aged 15 to 18 will be selling a wide range of products to the public as part of an ongoing programme which sees them set up their own business from scratch.

# Jail for paedophile after 27 offences on children

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A GROVE paedophile has been jailed for more than six years for 27 offences related to possessing, making and distributing indecent images of children and voyeurism.

Andrew Marshall Bayliss, of The Willows, was sentenced to six years and eight months behind bars at Oxford Crown Court last Thursday.

The 41-year-old pleaded guilty to the offences involving boys aged four to 13, which took place between January 1, 2008 and September 25, 2010.

The court heard that Bayliss would access the 'dark web' to access the images.

He would then distribute them across various paedophile websites.

Bayliss also posed as a young girl and incited children to commit sexual acts, footage of which he recorded.

In addition Bayliss filmed himself changing a seven-year-old boy's clothes, footage of a naked child being dried by another man, and of two boys changing while on holiday in France in 2010.

Det Con Simon Beaton, from the Paedophile Online Investigation Team, described Bayliss' actions as "abhorrent".

He said: "Bayliss has been sentenced for offences involving indecent images of children that he obtained from and distributed to the internet.

"We never lose sight that each of these images represents a child victim and a crime which had occurred against that child.

"Bayliss went on to engage with children via webcam, and committed offences of voyeurism and sexual activity with a child.

"His actions and the nature of the images he collected are abhorrent, and the sentence reflects the serious nature of the offences committed by Bayliss."

In total, Bayliss was convicted of 17 counts of possessing, making and distributing indecent images of children, six of causing or inciting a child to engage in a sexual act, two of sexual activity with a child and two of voyeurism.

As well as the custodial sentence, Bayliss was also given an extended license period of five years and four months.



• Andrew Marshall Bayliss

Have your say on how Vale spends levy money

VALE of White Horse District Council is urging residents to submit their comments on how they think money paid by developers should be used to improve infrastructure in the district.

The council is set to launch its Community Infrastructure Levy, which will see developers charged for every square metre of additional floor space in a new development.

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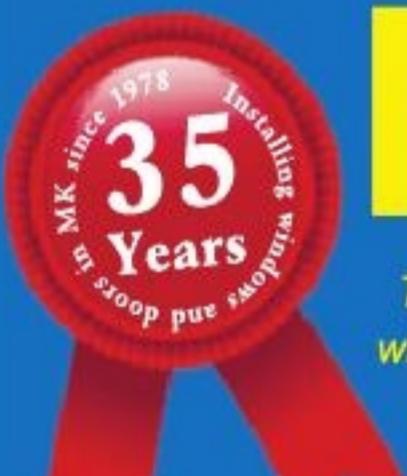
Money raised will fund projects such as schools, transport, flood defences, and community, leisure and health facilities.

And the council has launched a consultation for residents to put forward their views on which projects they would like to see money spent on.

Mike Murray, the council's cabinet member for planning policy, said: "We're determined to do all we can to make sure that new housing coming to the Vale is properly supported with the right infrastructure."

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# Immigration centre expansion delayed

A VOTE on controversial plans to expand the Campsfield House immigration detention centre near Kidlington have been deferred.

Cherwell District Council's planning committee had been due to make a decision last night on whether to grant permission to the expansion plans put forward by the Home Office.

The committee had been recommended to approve the expansion by officers.

But following a legal challenge, councillors voted to delay their decision, with a final outcome now expected when the committee is next scheduled to meet on March 19.

Michael Gibbard, the council's lead member for planning, said: "It was deferred because there was a suggestion that the need for expansion had not been properly assessed, or that the analysis for possible alternative sites had been fully explored.

"There's nothing sinister about the deferral other than this legal representation came at a very late stage, so it was not possible to digest in the time we had."

Plans had been put forward that would see a new building constructed to the west of the

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current facility to accommodate an extra 290 detainees, and bring Campsfield House's capacity to 566.

A two-storey staff facility and new car park would also be built for the additional 100 staff that would be employed as a result of the expansion.

Lawyers representing campaign group Stop Campsfield Expansion submitted the legal challenge to the council on Tuesday, saying that the recommendation was "plainly wrong in law".

They stated this was because the report had advised councillors not to consider relevant evidence.

Bill MacKeith, of the Stop Campsfield Expansion group, said: "This backs up what we've been saying from the beginning.

Councillors must consider all the evidence and make up their own minds whether there is a need to detain more migrants.

"Since the Home Office's own figures confirm that

they are releasing more and more detainees without taking no 'need'."

A statement released by the Home Office said: "Immigration removal centres play an important role in our work to

remove people who have no right to remain in the UK."

It continued: "It is right that we have the adequate facilities in place."

## News Bite

### New homes

BICESTER: Plans for a new development of 45 homes in Chesterton were approved by Cherwell District Council's planning committee last Thursday.

Outline planning permission has been granted to build the homes at The Paddocks.

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• Michael Watts, cake artist Laura Miller and Lord Mayor Mohammed Abbasi with the cake

## News Bites

### Exposure

OXFORD: Police are looking for witnesses after a man exposed himself to a 30-year-old woman and her child soon after they got off a bus on Barns Road.

It happened on February 11 at around 3.30pm while they walked along the cycle path towards Herschel Crescent.

The man is described as white, middle aged, of medium height with light curly hair, and was wearing glasses and a jacket.

Call 101 with information.

### Hay blaze

MINSTER LOVELL: More than 2,000 hay bales were set alight last Tuesday in what police believe is a suspected arson attack.

Between 5pm and 6pm, a bang was heard at the site, and it is thought a firework may have been used to start the blaze.

Anyone with information should call 101.

### Strike ends

OXON: Fire crews in Oxfordshire were set to end their strike this morning.

Disputes over pensions between the Fire Brigades Union and central government saw fire fighters begin strike action at 7am yesterday.

# Second phase plans for sports site to go on show

PLANS for the second phase of the Bicester Sports Village development will go on show in the town next Tuesday.

Cherwell District Council is looking to build a two-storey pavilion at the site to accompany the first phase of grass pitches and a cycling/jogging track, which was completed last year.

And artist's impressions, floor-plans and drawings of the development are set to be unveiled at the Sainsbury's store in Pioneer Square on March 3.

George Reynolds, deputy leader of Cherwell District Council, said: "Bicester is set to expand significantly in the future.

"We recognise the importance of ensuring that along with houses, provision is also made for suitable and sufficient facilities such as leisure and sports.

"This project is not about detracting from the existing sports clubs but working with them to ensure the needs of the current and future residents are all catered for."

Plans for the pavilion see the

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ground floor used for changing rooms, sports club facilities, lockers, a treatment room and showers.

Upstairs would be home to a function room with kitchen and bar to accommodate up to 150 guests.

Clr Reynolds added: "Although it is no secret that this will largely incorporate the provision of a new purpose-built sports pavilion, this is the first time that people will be able to see what that amounts to.

"Therefore, we would encourage as many people as possible to come along and see just what the next stage of this project will look like."

A formal planning application for the second phase of the plans will be submitted in the spring, and is expected to be decided in the summer.

If approved, work on the site could begin in the autumn and completed in spring 2016.

Next Tuesday's event will run from 2pm until 6pm.

## Henley fourth-best nationally for employment

THE rate of unemployment in the Henley constituency is the fourth lowest in the country, latest figures released by the House of Commons Library have revealed.

In January there were 278 people claiming Jobseeker's Allowance – a rate of 0.6 per cent of the economically active population aged between 16 and 64.

This is 173 people lower than in January 2014, and seven less than in December.

The number of young people without a job has also fallen to 35.

John Howell, MP for Henley, said: "This is very good news and represents another month when the constituency is the envy of the country.

He continued: "I have always said that we should carry on with our reforms and reduce

unemployment.

"Having the security of a regular income through employment is the best way to improve the economy for everyone."

As well as covering Henley, the constituency also includes Thame, Chinnor, Berinsfield, Benson and Sandford.

Despite the improvement in employment, Henley dropped a place after previously holding third in the table released for December.

• Henley MP John Howell has welcomed the unemployment figures for his constituency



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**News Bites****CCTV released**

OXFORD: Police have released an image of a man they want to speak to in connection with an assault in Maxwell's Bar in Queen Street.

At 1.05am on January 31, a man got into a fight with another man, who consequently fell down the stairs.

He sustained a dislocated shoulder and fractured shoulder bone and was taken to the John Radcliffe Hospital for treatment, and has since been discharged.

Call 101 with information.

**All aboard!**

ABINGDON: The town's annual model railway show returns to the White Horse Leisure and Tennis Centre this Saturday.

More than 50 model train layouts will be on display, as well as a variety of traders and railway societies.

One of the layouts is of the old Abingdon station, as well as an adaptation of Radley.

It starts at 10am.

# Welsh players put through their paces at Brize Norton



• Tom May at the controls of the C-130 Hercules at RAF Brize Norton earlier this week

LONDON Welsh squad players were treated to a tour of RAF Brize Norton on Monday to try their hand at parachute training and have a ride in a Hercules.

Head coach Justin Burnell, assistant coach Matthew Ferguson and players Tom May, Piri Weepu, Eddie Aholelei and Josh McNally all took part in the visit.

The players had a go at the parachute flight simulator, which is designed to simulate the effect of jumping out of a plane from 6,000 feet.

Team captain Tom May performed the best as he landed just 16 feet from the target.

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He said: "The simulator was awesome, 16 feet away wasn't too bad - better than the 14,000 feet one of the lads ended up away from the target!"

After their simulator work, the squad then took part in rugby training with the Brize Buccaneers.

And in the afternoon the players got to experience a ride in a C-130 Hercules aircraft over the skies of Oxfordshire.

For Josh McNally, who is a serving member of the RAF at

Brize Norton, it was a chance to show his team-mates around his place of work.

He said: "To bring some of the lads from Welsh here has been really good.

"It was nice to be able to give them an insight into military life and the way things run here and I think they really enjoyed it.

"When we did the flight simulators everyone thinks that because I'm in the RAF I'm going to be good at it, but I'd never done anything like that in my life. It was a good laugh though."

The players had been shown around the camp by Squadron Leader Stuart Wright.

He said: "This was a great opportunity to further the links being forged between RAF Brize Norton and London Welsh.

"The coaching session was fantastic, with Matt Ferguson putting the forwards through their paces on the scrum machine.

"It was nice to be able to offer the players and staff of London Welsh something a bit different to their usual routine and this has helped to cement the partnership between London Welsh and the RAF."

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Many will be aware of the sad case of Skye Hall from Abingdon, who died last year after

being diagnosed with Metastatic Medulloblastoma - a very rare form of brain tumour.

Skye's family were devastated when the treatment that helped to control the cancer actually made Skye sicker.

It is right that there is significant investment in cancer research locally and nationally, but funding alone is not enough.

We have to ensure that bureaucracy never gets in the way of providing the best possible care for any patient.

In Skye's case it became apparent that data collection for non-clinical trials is limited, meaning doctors are having to make decisions on patient care without being informed of the side effects.

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# Jazz group to stage tribute show in Peter's honour

A JAZZ band is paying tribute to its former group member from Headington by staging a concert in his honour to raise money for Blind Veterans UK.

Peter Mayhew died in November aged 86, having been one of the founding members of the BBO Big Band in 1986.

The band has raised more than £345,000 for charity in the 29 years it has been running, and are staging a special concert in Marlow, Buckinghamshire, tonight in Peter's memory.



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Peter suffered from sight loss in later life, so the band have selected Blind Veterans UK as their chosen charity for the evening.

Hilary Spiers, a member of the band, said: "As a founder member of the BBO Big Band, Peter played a massive part in raising the money for charity.

"He spoke so highly of Blind Veterans UK so we wanted the money raised from this concert to support them."

The concert is being held at The Royal British Legion on Station Approach.

It will be attended by John Cantwell, a friend of Peter's who also receives support from Blind Veterans UK and runs one of the charity's lunch clubs which Peter attended.

He said: "Peter loved playing with this band so much and this concert will be a fitting tribute to a great man."

It starts at 8.15pm.

• Peter Mayhew

## School unveils science centre art piece



A THREE-STOREY tall artwork reaching 10m in height has been commissioned by Abingdon School to be the centrepiece of their new science centre, which is due to open later this year.

"It is my aim, not merely to decorate a building, but to inspire many generations of pupils to take up the challenges of science at Abingdon."

Sculptor Matthew Lane Sanderson has designed the piece, which will weigh over a ton when completed.

The sculpture will rise through the stairwell, starting with biology at the bottom before moving up to physics and chemistry to correspond with each floor that the subject is located on.

She continued: "It will be an inspiration to all who see it." Pupils will be involved in the creation of the sculpture at the school.

## News Bites

### Theft attempt

WOODCOTE: Police are asking for information after an attempted burglary at Woodcote Garden Centre last week.

It happened between 4.15pm on February 15 and 8am the following morning.

Offenders tried to force open panelling, the main door and a side door to get into the Reading Road building. Nothing is believed to have been stolen.

Call 101 with information.

### Pat's in town

BICESTER: Actress Pam St. Clement, best known for playing Pat Butcher in EastEnders for 26 years, is signing copies of her new book 'End of an Earring' at Coles Books in Crown Walk tomorrow.

Her memoir tells the story of her life before EastEnders as well as her time in the soap, and acts as a tribute to Pat, for whom Pam retains a huge affection.

The signing starts at 11am.

### Next job fair

OXFORD: More than 30 employers will be present at a job fair in Oxford Town Hall next Wednesday.

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## News Bites

### House theft

STANTON ST JOHN: Gardening equipment and a petrol engine was stolen from a house in Pound Lane last week.

Between 2pm on February 16 and 10am the following day, a garden strimmer, leaf blower and Evolution Hulk petrol engine were taken.

Call 101 with information.

### Car scratched

OXFORD: Police are appealing for witnesses after a black Land Rover was scratched for a fourth time in 10 days.

The latest incident took place while the car was parked in Lonsdale Road between 7pm on February 16 and 7am the next morning.

All eight panels of the car were scratched.

Anyone with information should call PC Lisa Lewis on 101.

### Pedal success

OXFORD: A Cowley cycling club has been shortlisted as one of the best in the country by sports outlet Decathlon, who have a store in Botley.

The Cowley Road Condors have made Decathlon's top 10 after more than 200 clubs entered the store's search for 'Cycling Club of the Year'.

For information, visit [decathlon.co.uk](http://decathlon.co.uk).

# Dyspraxic children get bike riding help

YOUNGSTERS who have difficulty with co-ordination and balance have been taught how to ride a bike following lessons with Oxfordshire's Fire and Rescue Service.

Twelve children with dyspraxia and special needs spent their half-term with fire fighters and road safety experts in Abingdon learning how to ride independently.

They took part in five one-hour sessions at Abingdon and Witney College, before showing off their skills to their parents at the campus last Friday.

Wendy Jennings, one of the road safety officers, said: "The children started off the course by learning to put a cycle helmet on correctly and they then gain confidence at every stage of the training.

"By the end of the training the aim is for all children to be able to pedal and stop their bicycle unaided.

"It may sound easy to most people but to a child with co-ordination and balance problems learning to ride is really a big achievement.

"The course leads to happy

By Adam Flinn  
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children who never thought that they would be able to ride a bicycle."

This is the seventh time that the course has been run since it was first introduced in 2012.

Kathryn West's six-year-old son Jacob took part in the sessions.

She said: "He enjoyed it. He didn't quite get to the cycling on his own stage, but to be honest even getting on a bike was something for him.

"He's getting on his bike, rolling along and wanting to pedal, but he's nearly there and this has definitely helped him."

Rodney Rose, deputy leader of Oxfordshire County Council, said: "The council's Fire and Rescue Service works with all sorts of people to help make Oxfordshire as safe as possible.

"This is another example of positive interaction with children to help build their confidence whilst making them safer on the road.

"I would like to congratulate every child that has taken this course and I hope the skills they have learnt will hold them in good stead for the future."



• Jacob receives his certificate for completing the course

### Mayor's column

*Jane Titchener*

*The Mayor of Wallingford*



### Wallingford's upcoming plans

EVEN though we have an election in May we cannot wait for a new council to begin planning for key events, so we are starting to make plans for the next municipal year.

The estimates for next year have been approved and our precept will be increased by 2.3 per cent RPI.

We never take a decision to increase our precept lightly, and this year we spent more time than ever before reviewing our budget.

Magna Carta and the anniversary of the sealing 800 years ago will be celebrated at the Wallingford Museum when it opens for the 2015 summer season with the exhibition, 'Magna Carta and all that'.

Arrangements for a Civil War re-enactment in June are progressing.

We also like to recognise those who have made a contribution to our community.

At our council meeting we presented two certificates - the first to Julie Sharp, who was a personal assistant to seven town clerks and secretary to 28 mayors during her 40 years of employment by Wallingford Town Council, and the second to Rose Sutton to mark her hard work and support to the annual carnival committee for the last 20 years.

In May there will be an election for those who make up the council, and we need more people to come forward to support local government.

It is important that councillors have a broad range of skills and life experience.

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### Closing date:

Friday, April 10, 2015

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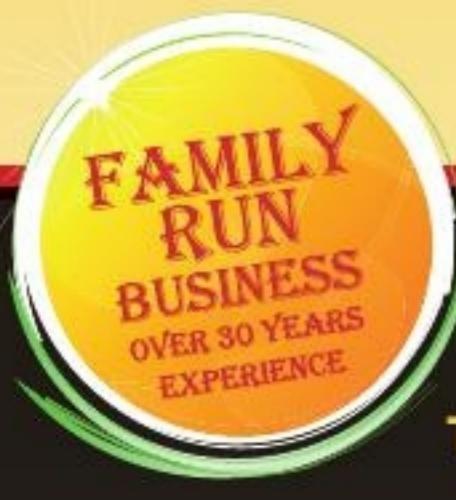
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### Quick Clues Across

- 4 Given piquancy (6)
- 8 Uses (7)
- 10 Idea (7)
- 11 Precipitous (5)
- 12 Go in (5)
- 13 Aliens (9)
- 16 Going without (9)
- 19 Confidence (5)
- 20 Very unpleasant (5)
- 22 Explanations (7)
- 23 Most sacred (7)
- 24 Stylish (6)

### Quick Clues Down

- 1 Animals (6)
- 2 Part of church (4)
- 3 Recompenses (13)
- 5 Hymns sung as clergy enter church (13)
- 6 Ponder (8)
- 7 Discourages (6)
- 9 Fashion (5)
- 14 Adjust (8)
- 15 Gazed (6)
- 17 Break (5)
- 18 Appointments (6)
- 21 Pip (4)

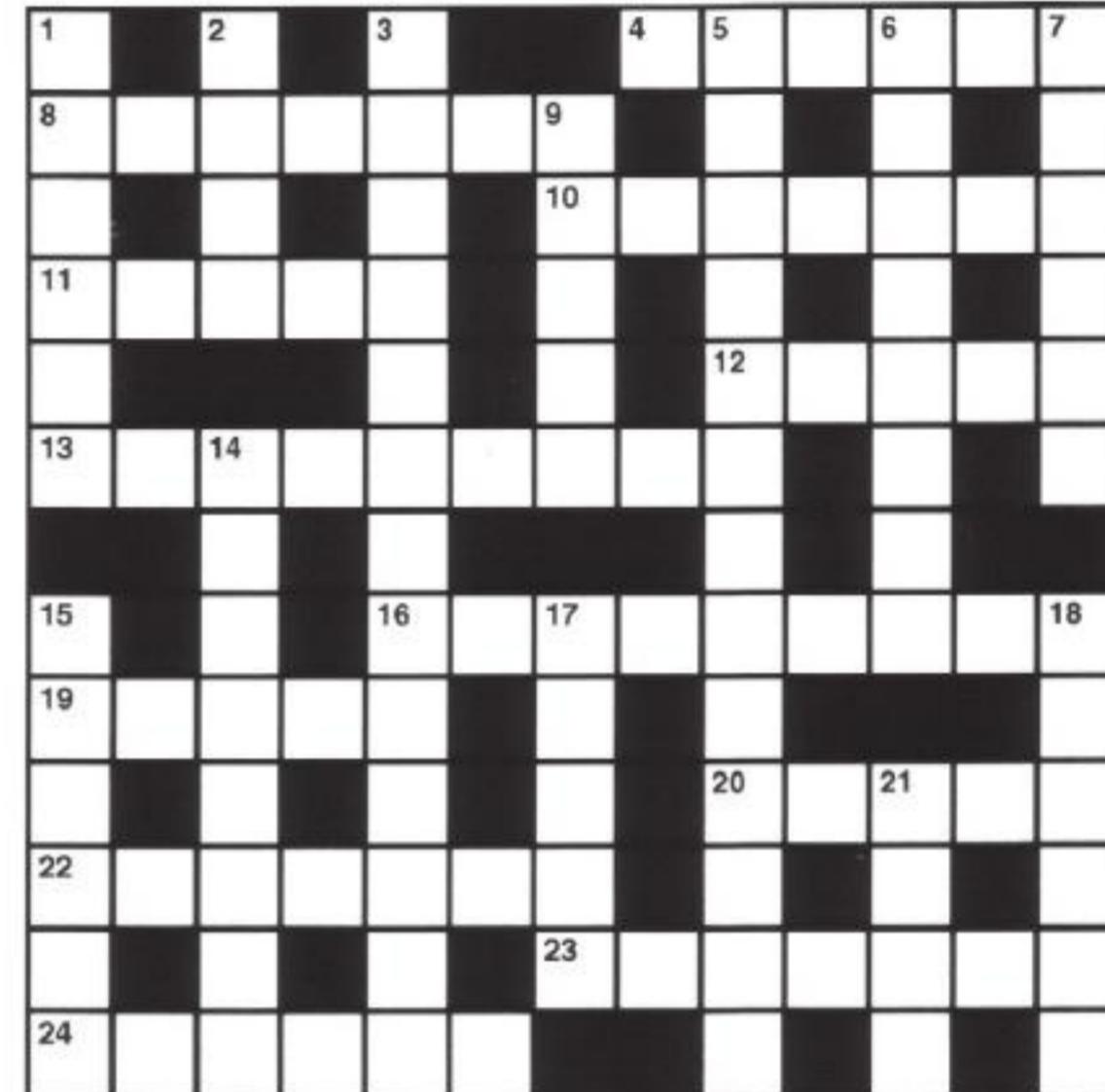
### Scribble space

### Cryptic Clues Across

- 4 Pour out nothing revolutionary, and sounded pleased (6)
- 8 Sign the document to gain attention (7)
- 10 The king's daughter curtailed her brothers (7)
- 11 He set out for the ones near at hand (5)
- 12 In one way ties down without possessing regular movements (5)
- 13 Re-cancel a cheque's acceptance (9)
- 16 On strike, we sigh about what is of greater importance (9)
- 19 The department has nothing for the storehouse (5)
- 20 Thanks to the range of knowledge obtained (5)
- 22 Swindles about light chalks (7)
- 23 Beat the man for touching (7)
- 24 Seen at different material (6)

### Cryptic Clues Down

- 1 Feeling rotten on September 1st with a head cold (6)
- 2 Go back to the French for an amorous look (4)
- 3 Better boon too for the famous question (2,2,2,3,2,2)
- 5 Somehow resent uniting around for a dull result (13)
- 6 Falling back to surrendering again (8)
- 7 Want of practice is found in the great actress (6)
- 9 Watering place in a European country (5)
- 14 He never forgets a trunk call (8)
- 15 Prepares about a hundred decrees (6)
- 17 Have confidence in the people administering the property (5)
- 18 Stay in some sort of mental balance (6)
- 21 Keen to be a member (4)



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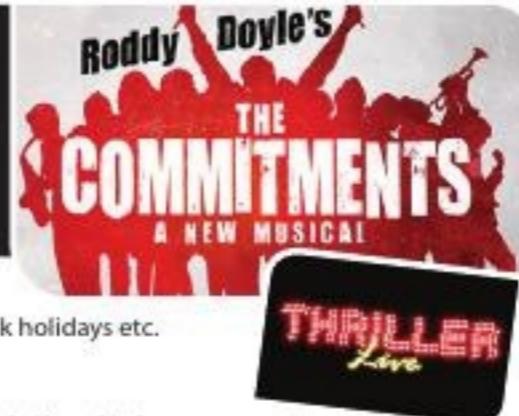
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### EASY/MEDIUM/HARD

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### This week's solutions

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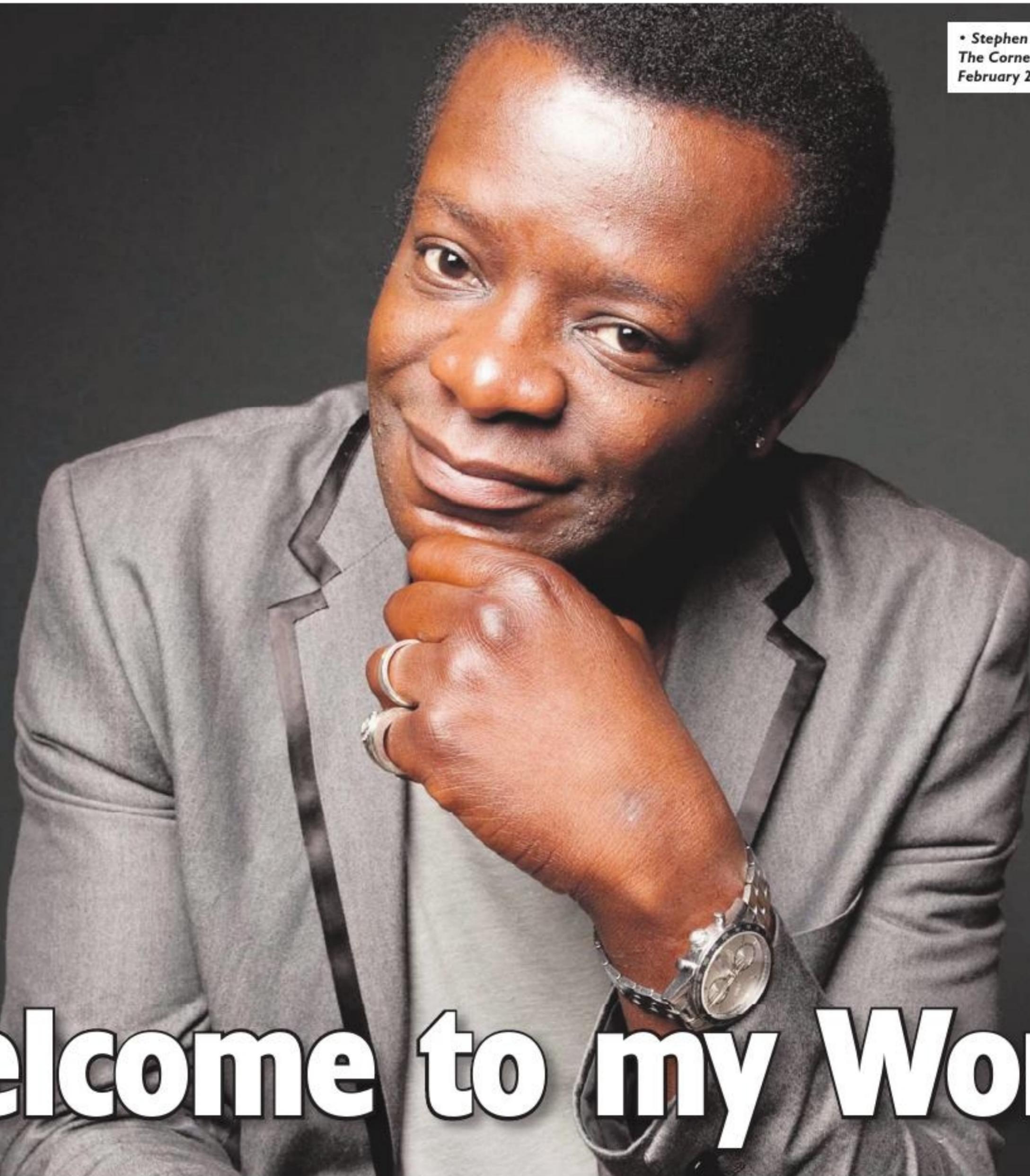
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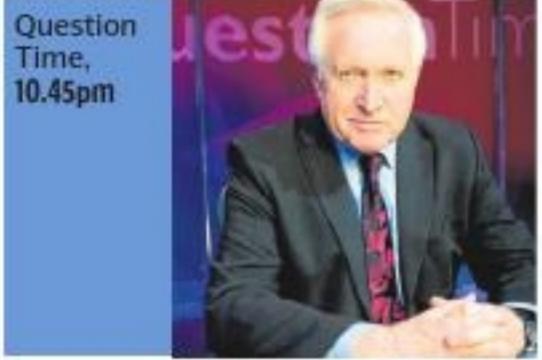
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## BBC2



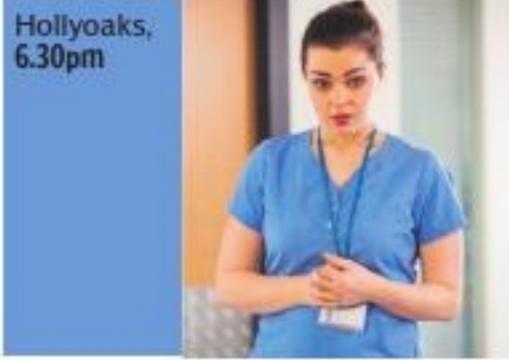
Charlie Brooker's Weekly Wipe, 10pm

## ITV



Emmerdale, 6.45pm

## Channel 4



Hollyoaks, 6.30pm

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## DIGITAL

## ITV2 SKY: 118 FV: 6

6.00 You've Been Framed! 6.25 Psych 7.10 Emmerdale 7.40 Coronation Street 8.10 You've Been Framed! 8.40 Dinner Date 9.40 Catchphrase 10.25 Psych 11.20 Royal Pains 12.10 Emmerdale 12.40 Coronation Street 1.15 You've Been Framed! 1.40 Dinner Date 2.40 The Jeremy Kyle Show 6.00 You've Been Framed! 7.00 The Guide to You've Been Framed! 8.00 Two and a Half Men 9.00 Scorpion 10.00 The Keith Lemon Sketch Show 10.30 Reality Bites 11.15 Educating Essex: Supermodel Student 12.15 Two and a Half Men 1.10 Scorpion 1.50 Life's Funnest Moments 2.15 Teleshopping 5.45 ITV2 Nightscreen

## ITV3 SKY: 119 FV: 10

6.00 Fresh Fields 6.25 Hamish Macbeth 7.25 Heartbeat 8.30 Where the Heart Is 9.35 The Royal 10.35 Judge Judy 11.55 Murder, She Wrote 1.00 Heartbeat 2.00 Where the Heart Is 3.05 The Royal 4.10 Fresh Fields 4.45 Rising Damp 5.15 On the Buses 5.50 Heartbeat 6.55 Murder, She Wrote 7.55

Foyle's War 10.00 Law & Order: UK 11.05 Trial & Retribution 12.10 FILM: The Likely Lads (1976) (PG) 1.50 Judge Judy 2.10 ITV3 Nightscreen 2.30 Teleshopping

## BBC3 SKY: 115 FV: 7

7.00 Top Gear 8.00 World's Toughest Jobs 9.00 Bangkok Airport 10.00 Russell Howard's Good News 10.30 EastEnders 11.00 Family Guy 11.45 American Dad! 12.10 Family Guy 12.30 Russell Howard's Good News 1.00 Bangkok Airport 2.00 South Side Story 2.30 Revolution Presents: Democracy Dealers 3.00 World's Toughest Jobs 4.00 Close

## BBC4 SKY: 116 FV: 9

7.00 World News Today: Weather 7.30 The Sky at Night 8.00 Pain, Pus & Poison: The Search for Modern Medicines 9.00 Saints and Sinners: Britain's Millennium of Monasteries 10.00 Timeshift: The Nation's Railway: The Golden Age of British Rail 11.00 Digging for Ireland 12.00 Pain, Pus & Poison: The Search for Modern Medicines 1.00 The Sky at Night

1.30 Wallander 3.00 Saints and Sinners: Britain's Millennium of Monasteries 4.00 Close

## E4 SKY: 136 FV: 28

10.00 Charmed 12.00 Hollyoaks 12.30 Rules of Engagement 1.00 How I Met Your Mother 2.00 The Big Bang Theory 3.00 Baby Daddy 3.30 Melissa & Joey 4.00 New Girl 4.30 Suburgatory 5.00 How I Met Your Mother 6.00 The Big Bang Theory 7.00 Hollyoaks 7.30 Melissa & Joey 8.00 The Big Bang Theory 8.30 2 Broke Girls 9.00 Brooklyn Nine-Nine 9.30 Marry Me 10.00 Banana 10.30 The Inbetweeners 11.00 The Big Bang Theory 12.00 Revenge 1.00 New Girl 1.30 Suburgatory 2.00 The New Normal 2.45 Virtually Famous 3.25 One Tree Hill 4.00 Made in Chelsea 5.00 Charmed

## MORE4 SKY: 138 FV: 14

11.05 Kirstie's Vintage Gems 11.25 FILM: The Violent Men (1955) (PG) 1.25 Time Team 3.35 Nazi Megastructures 4.40 A Place in the Sun: Home or Away 6.50 Building the Dream 7.55 Grand Designs 9.00 The Good Wife 10.00 FILM: The Bank Job (2008) (15)

12.10 Ramsay's Kitchen Nightmares USA 1.10 Grand Designs 2.15 Building the Dream 3.20 Kirstie's Vintage Gems 3.45 Close

## FILM4 SKY: 315 FV: 15

1.00 23 Paces to Baker Street (1956) (PG) 1.10 The Desperadoes (1943) (U) 2.55 Sea Devils (1953) (U) 4.45 White Feather (1955) (U) 6.50 The Day the Earth Stood Still (2008) (12) 8.55 Catch Me Daddy Interview Special 9.00 Amour (2012) (12) 11.35 Repo Men (2010) (18) 1.45 The King of Marvin Gardens (1972) (15) 3.55 Close

## DAVE SKY: 111 FV: 12

7.00 Radical High 7.10 Flip Men 7.35 The World of Stupid Criminals 8.00 Top Gear 10.00 Storage Hunters 11.00 Lizard Lick Towing 12.00 Top Gear 2.00 Storage Hunters 2.30 American Pickers 3.30 Storage Hunters 4.00 Lizard Lick Towing 5.00 Top Gear 7.00 Storage Hunters 8.00 American Pickers 9.00 Have I Got a Bit More News for You 10.00 Suits 11.00 QI 11.40 Would I Lie to You? 12.20 Mock the Week 1.00 Storage

## Channel 5



The Classic Car Show, 7pm

6.00 Milkshake! 9.15 The Wright Stuff Studio debate on the day's news. 11.10 The Hotel Inspector (S)(R) 12.10 5 News Lunchtime (S) 12.15 The Billion Dollar Wreck Hunt (S)(R) 1.15 Home and Away (S) 1.45 Neighbours (S) 2.15 NCIS A bomb kills the Secretary of the Navy. (S)(R) 3.10 Cedar Cove: Redemption An ex-con asks for Olivia's help. (S) 5.00 5 News at 5 (S) 5.30 Neighbours Kyle shocks Georgia with the news he wants to try for a baby. (S)(R) 6.00 Home and Away Sophie knocks Nate unconscious. (S)(R) 6.30 5 News Tonight (S)

7.00 The Classic Car Show Jodie Kidd and Quentin Willson visit the Monaco Grand Prix Historique classic car race, while Alex Riley checks out an affordable second-hand Porsche 928; (S) 5 News Update (S)

8.00 Benefits Britain: Life on the Dole The lives of people on benefits in Scotland, including a pair of aspiring pop stars and a woman who is convinced that her weight is stopping her from getting a job; (S)(R) 5 News (S)

9.00 Britain's Biggest Primary School This edition follows some of the girls at Gascoigne Primary School in Barking, east London, including three eight-year-olds who fall out and make friends again constantly. (S)

10.00 The Mentalist Jane and Lisbon head to Beirut on a mission. (S) 10.55 Castle Beckett and Castle investigate the death of a medical researcher, but face an unusual problem. Previously seen on 5USA. (S)

11.55 Access Showbiz news and gossip.

12.00 SuperCasino 3.10 The Billion Dollar Wreck Hunt (S)(R) 4.00 Wildlife SOS (S)(R) 4.25 HouseBusters (S)(R) 4.45 House Doctor (S)(R) 5.10 House Doctor (S)(R) 5.35 House Doctor (S)(R)

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## BBC1



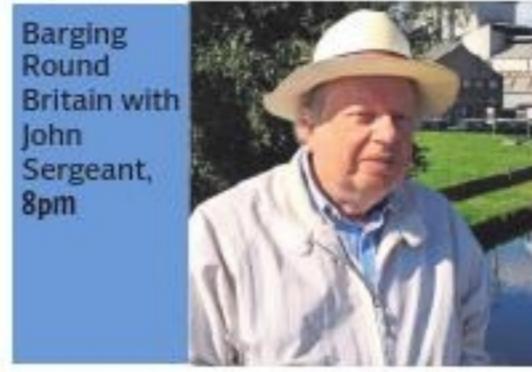
A Question of Sport, 7.30pm

## BBC2



QI, 10pm

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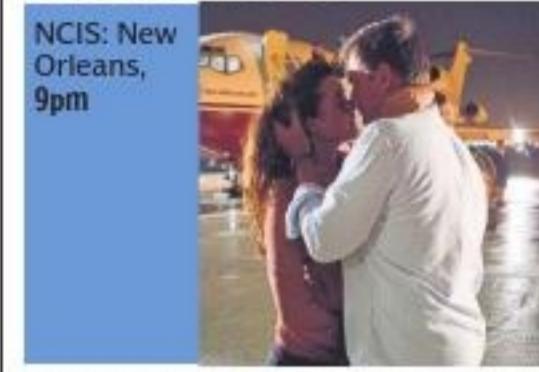
Barging Round Britain with John Sergeant, 8pm

## Channel 4



The Million Pound Drop, 8pm

## Channel 5



NCIS: New Orleans, 9pm

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## DIGITAL

**6.00 Breakfast** (S) **9.15 Heir Hunters** (S) **10.00 Homes Under the Hammer** (S)(R) **11.00 Countryside 999** (S) **11.45 Real Lives Reunited** (S) **12.15 Bargain Hunt** (S) **1.00 BBC News**; Weather; (S) **1.45 Doctors** (S) **2.15 WPC 56** Gina's life is placed in danger. (S)(R) **3.00 The Link** Quiz show, hosted by Mark Williams. (S) **3.45 Escape to the Country** (S) **4.30 Put Your Money Where Your Mouth Is** (S) **5.15 Pointless** Quiz show, hosted by Alexander Armstrong. (S)(R) **6.00 BBC News**; Weather (S) **6.30 BBC Regional News Programmes**; Weather (S)

**7.00 The One Show** Hosted by Chris Evans and Alex Jones. (S) **7.30 A Question of Sport** Guests include Kevin Magnussen and Christian Horner; (S)(R) BBC News; Regional News (S)

**8.00 EastEnders** Sharon is welcomed into her mum's house and meets her half-brother. (S)

**8.30 Room 101** With Des O'Connor, Adrian Chiles and Jameela Jamil. (S)

**9.00 The Musketeers** The king's cousin, Princess Louise, is ambushed while travelling to Sweden, so the Musketeers try to find out who is targeting her – but she is not the only one in danger. (S)

**10.00 BBC News** (S) **10.25 BBC Regional News**; (S) National Lottery Update (S) **10.35 The Graham Norton Show** With Will Smith, Hugh Jackman, Margot Robbie and Noel Gallagher. (S)

**11.25 Would I Lie to You?** With Warwick Davis, Paul Hollywood, Jason Manford and Joan Bakewell. (S)(R) **11.55 EastEnders** Omnibus. (S)(R)

**1.50 Weather for the Week Ahead** (S) **1.55 BBC News** (S)

**6.05 Homes Under the Hammer** (S)(R) **7.05 Countryside 999** (S)(R) **7.50 Real Lives Reunited** (S)(R) **8.20 Sign Zone: Wanted Down Under** (S)(R) **9.05 Sign Zone: The Big Allotment Challenge** (S)(R) **10.05 Sign Zone: Food & Drink** (S)(R) **10.35 The Travel Show** (S) **11.00 BBC News** (S) **11.30 BBC World News** (S) **12.00 Daily Politics** (S) **1.00 The A to Z of TV Gardening** (S)(R) **1.05 Cagney & Lacey** (S)(R) **1.50 The World at War** (S)(R) **2.45 Africa** (S)(R) **3.45 Open All Hours** (S)(R) **4.15 Three Up, Two Down** (S)(R) **4.45 Hit-de-Hi!** (S)(R) **5.15 Flog It!** (S)(R) **6.00 Two Tribes** (S) **6.30 Eggheads** (S)(R)

**7.00 Wanted in Paradise** A couple sample life on the island of Phuket in Thailand to see if they want to move there permanently from Glasgow. Steve Toussaint narrates. (S)

**8.00 Mastermind** Five contestants compete in the third semi-final. **8.30 Britain's Supermarket Revolution: What's In It for Us?** How retailers are adapting to a shift in the nation's shopping habits. (S)

**9.00 Italy Unpacked** Andrew Graham-Dixon and Giorgio Locatelli conclude their trip by travelling through the Veneto region, visiting Padua and Vicenza along the way. Last in the series. (S)

**10.00 QI** With Lloyd Langford, Victoria Coren Mitchell and Jack Whitehall. (S)(R) **10.30 Newsnight** (S)

**11.00 Weather** (S) **11.05 FILM Doubt (2008) (15)** Drama, with Meryl Streep, Amy Adams and Philip Seymour Hoffman. (S)

**12.40 Sign Zone: Question Time** (S)(R) **1.40 This Is BBC Two** (S)

**6.00 Good Morning Britain** (S) **8.30 Lorraline** (S) **9.25 The Jeremy Kyle Show** (S) **10.30 This Morning** (S) **10.55 ITV News**; Weather (S) **11.00 This Morning** (S) **12.30 Loose Women** (S) **1.30 ITV News** (S) **1.55 ITV Regional News**; Weather (S) **2.00 Judge Rinder** Real-life cases in a studio courtroom. **3.00 Tipping Point** Quiz show, hosted by Ben Shephard. (S) **3.59 ITV Regional Weather** (S) **4.00 1000 Heartbeats** Quiz show, hosted by Vernon Kay. (S) **5.00 The Chase** Quiz show, hosted by Bradley Walsh. (S) **6.00 ITV Regional News**; Weather (S) **6.30 ITV News** (S)

**7.00 Emmerdale** Lachlan leaves Chrissie sickened by what he says. (S) **7.30 Coronation Street** Rita demands to know why Jenny has returned to Weatherfield. (S)

**8.00 Barging Round Britain with John Sergeant** A journey along the Aire and Calder Navigation. (S) **8.30 Coronation Street** Tony attempts a charm offensive on Liz. (S)

**9.00 Bear Grylls: Mission Survive** The celebrities navigate their way through dense jungle down a ravine, before eating live scorpions and facing their first big test – a descent of a 120ft waterfall. (S)

**10.00 ITV News and Weather** (S) **10.30 ITV Regional News**; Weather (S) **10.40 FILM The 40 Year-Old Virgin (2005) (15)** A man who has never had sex is set up on a series of dates, only to fall for a woman who does not want a physical relationship. Comedy, starring Steve Carell and Catherine Keener. (S)

**11.00 Weather** (S) **11.05 FILM Doubt (2008) (15)** Drama, with Meryl Streep, Amy Adams and Philip Seymour Hoffman. (S)

**12.50 Jackpot247** **3.00 The Jeremy Kyle Show USA** (S)(R) **3.40 ITV Nightscreen**

**6.00 Countdown** (S)(R) **6.45 The King of Queens** (S)(R) **7.10 3rd Rock from the Sun** (S)(R) **8.00 Frasier** (S)(R) **9.00 Everybody Loves Raymond** (S)(R) **10.35 Undercover Boss** Canada (S)(R) **11.30 Shipping Wars UK** (S) **12.15 Channel 4 News** (S) **12.20 Couples Come Dine with Me** (S) **1.05 A Place in the Sun: Winter Sun** (S)(R) **2.10 Countdown** With Rufus Hound. (S) **3.00 Deal or No Deal** Beat-the-banker game show. (S) **4.00 Come Dine with Me** Four contestants from Leicestershire compete. (S) **5.00 Four in a Bed** (S) **5.30 The Simpsons** (S)(R) **6.30 Hollyoaks** (S)

**7.00 Channel 4 News** (S)

**8.00 The Million Pound Drop** Stand-up comedienne Jo Brand and funnyman Alan Davies (QI, Jonathan Creek) take on the Drop, hoping to walk away with a big win for their chosen charities. (S)

**9.00 Gogglebox** Capturing the households' instant reactions to what they are watching on TV from the comfort of their own sofas. Narrated by Caroline Aherne. (S)

**10.00 The Last Leg** Adam Hills, Josh Widdicombe and Alex Brooker are joined by comedienne Sarah Millican for an irreverent review of the significant moments of the past seven days. Last in the series. (S)

**11.05 Catastrophe** Rob and Sharon's stag and hen nights spiral out of control. Last in the series. (S)(R) **11.40 Brooklyn Nine-Nine** The precinct goes into lockdown on Thanksgiving. (S)

**12.05 Rude Tube** (S) **1.00 FILM Wayne's World (1992) (PG) (S) 2.40 Fargo** (S)(R) **4.00 Double Your House for Half the Money** (S)(R) **5.00 Kirstie's Vintage Gems** (S)(R) **5.05 Deal or No Deal** (S)(R)

**6.00 Milkshake!** **9.15 The Wright Stuff** **11.10 The Hotel Inspector** (S)(R) **12.10 5 News Lunchtime** (S) **12.15 Police Interceptors** (S)(R) **1.15 Home and Away** (S) **1.45 Neighbours** (S) **2.15 NCIS: Los Angeles** The team uncovers new evidence about the attempt on Callen's life. (S)(R) **3.15 FILM Do You Know Me (2008) (15)** Thriller, starring Rachelle Lefevre. (S) **5.00 5 News at 5** (S) **5.30 Neighbours** Paige arranges to meet Bryson. (S)(R) **6.00 Home and Away** Sophie forces Nate's car into the path of the bus, taking residents to the gig. (S)(R) **6.30 5 News Tonight** (S)

**7.00 Can't Pay? We'll Take It Away** Two enforcement agents make a shocking discovery in a child's bedroom during an eviction, and a debtor gets physical when he is visited over wages owed to a freelancer; (S)(R) **5 News** (S)

**8.00 Angry Brits: Caught on Camera** The captain of a non-league football team climbs into the stands and confronts a spectator; (S)(R) **5 News at 9** (S)

**9.00 NCIS: New Orleans** A Navy lieutenant's death turns out to be caused by the bubonic plague, so Pride and Tony board the dead man's ship to find the source of the disease and halt its spread. (S)

**10.00 NCIS** Tony travels to Tel Aviv to find Ziva. (S) **10.55 Law & Order: Special Victims Unit** Stabler and Benson investigate the death of an astronaut. (S)(R)

**11.55 Access** Showbiz news and gossip. (R)

**12.00 SuperCasino** **3.10 GPs: Behind Closed Doors** (S)(R) **4.00 Wildlife SOS** (S)(R) **4.25 HouseBusters** (S)(R) **4.45 House Doctor** (S)(R) **5.10 House Doctor** (S)(R) **5.35 House Doctor** (S)(R)

**ITV2 SKY: 11.8 FV: 6**  
6.00 You've Been Framed! **6.25 Psych** 7.10  
Emmerdale **8.10 You've Been Framed!** **8.40 Dinner Date** **9.40 Catchphrase** **10.25 Psych** **11.20 Royal Pains** **12.10 Emmerdale** **1.15 You've Been Framed!** **1.40 Dinner Date** **2.40 The Jeremy Kyle Show** **6.00 You've Been Framed!** **7.00 You've Been Framed!** **Top 100 Kids** **8.00 Two and a Half Men** **9.00 FILM: White Chicks** (2004) (15) Comedy, starring Shawna and Marlon Wayans. **11.20 Take Me Out** **12.35 Take Me Out** – The Gossip **1.15 Crazy Beaches** **1.40 Royal Pains** **2.25 Teleshopping** **5.55 ITV2 Nightscreen**

**ITV3 SKY: 11.9 FV: 10**  
6.00 Fresh Fields **6.25 Hamish Macbeth** **7.25 Heartbeat** **8.30 Where the Heart Is** **9.35 The Royal Judge** **11.55 Murder, She Wrote** **1.00 Heartbeat** **2.00 Where the Heart Is** **3.05 The Royal** **4.10 Fresh Fields** **4.45 Rising Damp** **5.20 On the Buses** **5.55 Heartbeat** **7.00 Murder, She Wrote** **8.00 Agatha Christie's Marple** **10.00 Law & Order: UK** **11.00**

**BBC3 SKY: 11.5 FV: 7**  
7.00 Doctor Who: The Ultimate Guide **7.15 Doctor Who** **8.00 Tough Young Teachers** **9.00 Live at the Apollo** **10.00 Russell Howard's Good News** **10.30 EastEnders** **11.00 Family Guy** **11.45 American Dad!** **12.05 Family Guy** **12.30 Uncle** **1.00 I Survived a Zombie Apocalypse** **2.00 Russell Howard's Good News** **2.30 South Side Story** **3.00 Bangkok Airport** **3.55 Close**

**BBC4 SKY: 11.6 FV: 9**  
7.00 World News Today; Weather **7.30 Sounds of the Sixties** **8.00 Symphony** **9.00 Joy Division** **10.35 Synth Britannia** at the BBC **11.35 Guitar Heroes** at the BBC **12.35 Joy Division** **2.05 Synth Britannia** at the BBC **3.05 Sounds of the Sixties** **3.35 Close**

**E4 SKY: 13.6 FV: 28**  
6.00 Hollyoaks **6.25 Happy Endings** **6.45 Charmed** **7.35 Made in Chelsea** **8.35 Rules of Engagement** **9.30**

**Baby Daddy** **10.00 Charmed** **12.00 Hollyoaks** **12.30 Rules of Engagement** **1.00 How I Met Your Mother** **2.00 The Big Bang Theory** **3.00 Baby Daddy** **3.30 Melissa & Joey** **4.00 New Girl** **4.30 Suburgatory** **5.00 How I Met Your Mother** **6.00 The Big Bang Theory** **7.00 Hollyoaks** **7.30 Melissa & Joey** **8.00 The Big Bang Theory** **9.00 FILM: The Inbetweeners Movie** (2011) (15) Comedy, starring Joe Thomas. **11.00 David Blaine: Real or Magic** **12.25 2 Broke Girls** **12.50 Marry Me** **1.25 Banana** **1.55 Virtually Famous** **2.40 New Girl** **3.05 Suburgatory** **3.25 The Cleveland Show** **3.45 Made in Chelsea** **4.40 Charmed**

**MORE4 SKY: 13.8 FV: 14**  
8.55 Secret Eaters **10.00 Come Dine with Me** **11.05 FILM: Von Ryan's Express** (1965) (PG) **1.25 Time Team** **3.35 Nazi Megastructures** **4.40 A Place in the Sun: Home or Away** **5.50 Building the Dream** **7.55 Grand Designs** **9.00 FILM: The Negotiator** (1998) (15) Thriller, starring Samuel L Jackson and Kevin Spacey. **11.45 Confessions of a Male Stripper** **12.50 Ramsay's Kitchen Nightmares USA** **1.50 Ramsay's Costa del Nightmares** **2.55 The Good Wife** **3.55 Close**

**FILM4 SKY: 31.5 FV: 15**  
11.00 **Gun Fury** (1953) (U) **12.40 Crooks Anonymous** (1962) (U) **2.25 The Man from Colorado** (1948) (PG) **4.25 The Devil at Four O'Clock** (1961) (PG) **7.00 Legend** (1985) (PG) **9.00 Babylon AD** (2008) (12) **10.45 Pusher** (2012) (18) **12.30 Vehicle 19** (2013) (12) **2.10 The Last Exorcism** (2010) (15) **4.00 Close**

**DAVE SKY:**

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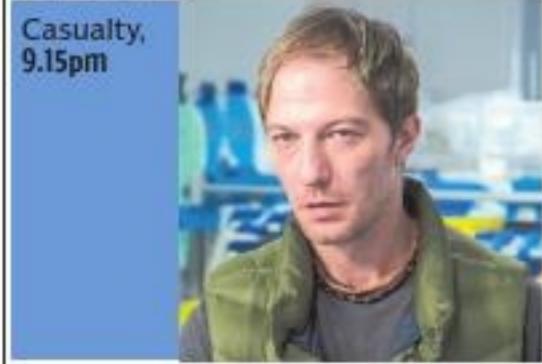
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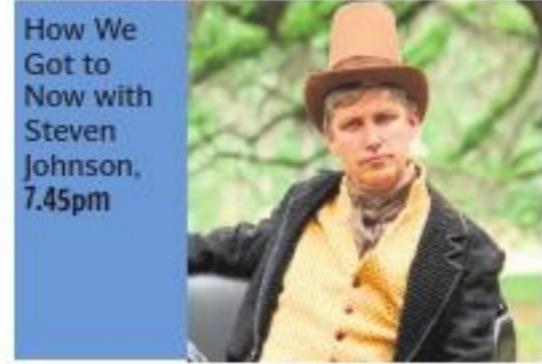
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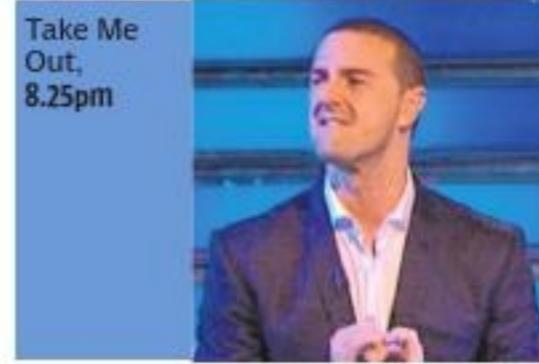
## BBC1

Casualty,  
9.15pm

## BBC2

How We  
Got to  
Now with  
Steven  
Johnson,  
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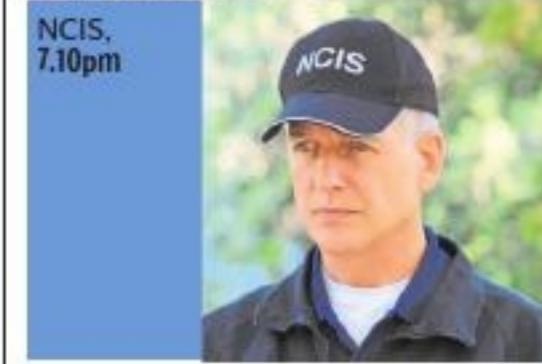
## ITV

Take Me  
Out,  
8.25pm

## Channel 4

Homes by  
the Sea,  
7pm

## Channel 5

NCIS,  
7.10pm

**6.00 Breakfast (S) 10.00 Saturday Kitchen Live** With guest Gregory Porter. (S) **11.30 Mary Berry Cooks** Recipes for dinner parties. (S)(R) **12.00 BBC News; Weather (S)** **12.10 Football Focus** Dan Walker and guests look ahead to the weekend's football. (S) **12.50 Saturday Sportsday** A look ahead at the day's events. (S) **1.00 Bargain Hunt** From Edinburgh. (S)(R) **2.00 Live Six Nations Rugby Union** Scotland v Italy (kick-off 2.30pm). (S) **4.30 Live Six Nations Rugby Union** France v Wales (kick-off 5.00pm). (S) **6.55 BBC News; Regional News; Weather (S)**

**7.15 The Voice UK** The start of the battle rounds, in which the acts perform in head-to-head sing-offs, leaving the coaches to decide who to take through to the knockouts. (S)

**9.15 Casualty** Dixie convinces a former drug addict not to give up on himself. (S)

**10.05 The National Lottery Live** Ella Henderson performs her new single. (S) **10.15 BBC News; Weather (S)** **10.30 Match of the Day** Gary Lineker presents; (S) National Lottery Update (S)

**11.55 The Football League Show** Manish Bhasin presents highlights and all the goals from the latest fixtures in the Championship, League One and League Two. (S)

**1.15 FILM Halloween: Resurrection (2002) (15)** Horror sequel, starring Brad Loree. (S) **2.40 Weather for the Week Ahead (S)** **2.45 BBC News (S)**

**7.00 Flog It!** A German painting with a moving history is valued in Derby. (S)(R)

**7.45 How We Got to Now with Steven Johnson** Innovations in cooling and refrigeration. (S)

**8.45 Dad's Army** Private Godfrey faces homelessness. (S)(R)

**9.15 Reginald D Hunter's Songs of the South** The comedian explores the musical heritage of Alabama and Georgia. (S)

**10.15 The Rise of James Brown: Mr Dynamite** Documentary charting the singer's journey from impoverished beginnings to becoming one of the biggest names in music. (S)

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**2.00 FILM Beauty & the Briefcase (2010) (12)** Romantic comedy, with Hilary Duff and Chris Carmack. (S) **3.20 This Is BBC Two (S)**

**6.00 This Is BBC Two (S) 6.15 FILM School for Scoundrels (1960) (U) (S) 7.50 FILM Whisky Galore! (1949) (U) (S) 9.10 Six Nations Rewind (S) **10.10 The Fred Dibnah Story (S)(R)** **11.10 The Nature of Britain (S)(R)** **12.00 A Taste of Britain (S) 12.30 Albert Finney: Talking Pictures (S) 1.00 FILM The Victors (1963) (12) (S) 3.30 Africa's Fishing Leopards: Natural World A leopard and its cubs try to survive in the wilds of Botswana. (S)(R) **4.30 Final Score** A round-up of this afternoon's football results. (S) **5.30 The Wonder of Animals (S)(R)** **6.00 The Great British Sewing Bee (S)(R)******

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**7.00 Ant & Dec's Saturday Night Takeaway** The duo take control of Richard Madeley in I'm a Celebrity Get Out of Me Ear! (S)

**8.25 Take Me Out** Soldier Darian, para-athlete Tony, animal-rights campaigner Ben and hair stylist Aaron vie for the attentions of 30 single women, intent on securing a date. Paddy McGuinness hosts. (S)

**9.40 The Jonathan Ross Show** With Sigourney Weaver, Martin Clunes, Thierry Henry, Tracey Emin and Kanye West. (S)

**10.35 ITV News; Weather (S)** **10.50 Boxing: Frampton Live** Carl Frampton v Chris Avalos. Mark Pougatch is joined by David Haye to present coverage of the bout for the IBF World Super Bantamweight title. (S)

**12.30 Jackpot247 3.00 The Jeremy Kyle Show USA (S)(R)** **3.40 ITV Nightscreen**

**6.00 CITV 7.30 Scrambled!: Scrambled! (S) 7.35 Scrambled!: Nerds & Monsters (S)(R)** **7.50 Scrambled!: Adventure Time (S) 8.30 Scrambled!: Horrid Henry (S) 8.50 Scrambled!: Hulk and the Agents of Smash (S) 9.25 The Jeremy Kyle Show (S)(R)** **12.30 ITV News; Weather (S)** **1.35 The Jeremy Kyle Show (S)(R)** **1.35 Tipping Point (S)(R)** **2.35 The Chase** Quiz show, hosted by Bradley Walsh. (S)(R) **3.35 Doc Martin (S)(R)** **4.35 Big Star's Little Star (S)(R)** **5.35 ITV Regional News; Weather (S)** **5.45 ITV News (S) 6.00 You've Been Framed! Top 100 Holidays (S)(R)**

**7.00 Homes by the Sea** Charlie Luxton explores the south Devon coast to find out why it has become the most sought-after place in Britain to have a seaside property, and visits various homes in the area. (S)

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**1.25 The Last Leg (S)(R)** **2.20 Hollyoaks (S)(R)** **3.30 The Supervet (S) (R)** **5.25 Deal or No Deal (S)(R)**

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**9.00 CSI: Crime Scene Investigation** Evidence at a crime scene leads the team to fear the Gig Harbour serial killer has resurfaced, even though the man convicted of the murders is currently residing on death row.

**10.00 Law & Order: Special Victims Unit** The detectives crack down on a clinic dealing in bogus medicine. (S)(R)

**10.55 Law & Order** A politician is embroiled in a triple murder. (S)

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## FILM4 SKY: 315 FV: 15

**11.00 Gunman's Walk (1958) (PG)** **1.00 First Daughter (2004) (PG)** **3.10 A Monster in Paris (2011) (U)** Animated comedy, with the voice of Vanessa Paradis. **4.35 Tea with Mussolini (1999) (PG)** Period comedy drama, starring Maggie Smith and Judi Dench. **7.15 The Animal (2001) (12)** Comedy, starring Rob Schneider. **8.55 Men in Black 3** Interview Special **9.00 The Best Exotic Marigold Hotel (2011) (12)** Comedy drama, starring Judi Dench and Bill Nighy. **11.25 The Last Exorcism Part II (2013) (15)** Premiere. Horror sequel, starring Ashley Bell. **1.10 Nosferatu the Vampyre (1979) (15)** **3.25 Close**

**DAVE SKY: 111 FV: 12** **7.10 Driving Wars 8.00 Top Gear 10.00 American Pickers 11.00 Storage Hunters 12.00 Man v Food 1.00 Traffic Cops 1.40 Red Dwarf 7.00 Storage Hunters 8.00 Room 101 10.00 8 Out of 10 Cats 11.00 Alan Davies: As Yet Untitled 12.00 Red Dwarf 4.00 Close**

## SKY ATLANTIC SKY: 108

**6.00 Star Trek: Enterprise 9.00 Blue Bloods 1.00**

**House 4.00 Without a Trace 9.00 Blue Bloods 10.00**

**Game of Thrones: Greatest Moments 12.00 Girls**

**12.35 Togetherness 1.10 Curb Your Enthusiasm 1.50**

**The Sopranos 3.00 Six Feet Under 4.05 Friday Night Lights 5.00 House**

## SKY1 SKY: 106

**6.00 Are You Smarter Than a 10 Year Old? 7.00 Glee 8.00 The Fantasy Football Club 9.00 Game Changers 10.00 Soccer AM 12.00 What's Up 12.30 Football's Funniest Moments 1.00 Hawaii Five-0 2.00 Inside RAF Brize Norton 3.00 David Attenborough's Conquest of the Skies 4.00 The Simpsons 4.30 Modern Family 6.30 The Simpsons 7.00 NCIS: Los Angeles 8.00 Hawaii Five-0 9.00 FILM: Batman Begins (2005) (12) Comic-book adventure, starring Christian Bale. **11.40 Hawaii Five-0 12.40 NCIS: Los Angeles 1.40 Road Wars 2.30 Night Cops 3.20 Brit Cops: Zero Tolerance 4.10 UK Border Force****

## SKY2 SKY: 108

**6.00 Star Trek: Enterprise 9.00 Blue Bloods 1.00**

**House 4.00 Without a Trace 9.00 Blue Bloods 10.00**

**Game of Thrones: Greatest Moments 12.00 Girls**

**12.35 Togetherness 1.10 Curb Your Enthusiasm 1.50**

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## Sunday March 1st

## BBC1



**6.00 Breakfast** (S) 7.35 Match of the Day (S)(R) 9.00 The Andrew Marr Show (S) 10.00 The Big Questions (S) 11.00 Sunday Politics (S) 12.15 MOTD2 Extra (S) 1.00 BBC News (S) 1.15 Bargain Hunt (S)(R) 2.00 My Chinese New Year Former Holby City star Jing Lusi explores her cultural heritage. (S) 2.30 Live Six Nations Rugby Union Ireland v England (kick-off 3.00pm). (S) 5.00 Songs of Praise With guest Hal Cruttenden. (S) 5.35 BBC News; Weather (S) 6.00 The Big Painting Challenge The amateur artists create portraits of Rudolph Walker and Pam St Clement. (S)

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**7.00 Countryfile** The team visits Pembrokeshire to mark St David's Day, with Matt Baker foraging for food; (S) Weather for the Week Ahead (S)

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**8.00 Call the Midwife** Two old schoolmates have a less than happy reunion at the maternity home, while Barbara makes a revolutionary suggestion to help Mary Cynthia treat the bedsores of her patient. (S)

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**9.00 The Casual Vacancy** Tensions rise in Pagford as the election approaches and each side steps up its campaign, while news of a tragedy leaves the whole community reeling. Last in the series. (S)

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**10.00 BBC News; Weather (S)** **10.30 Match of the Day 2** Liverpool v Manchester City and Arsenal v Everton. Mark Chapman reviews the latest Premier League matches at Anfield and the Emirates Stadium. (S)

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**11.35 The League Cup Show** Chelsea v Tottenham Hotspur. (S)

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**12.15 The Apprentice USA** (S) 1.40 Weather for the Week Ahead (S) 1.45 BBC News (S)

## DIGITAL

## BBC2



**6.00 This Is BBC Two** (S) 6.15 Great British Garden Revival (S)(R) 7.15 Glorious Gardens from Above (S)(R) 8.00 Countryfile (S)(R) 9.00 The Football League Show (S)(R) 10.20 Saturday Kitchen Best Bites (S) 11.50 The Great Comic Relief Bake Off (S) (R) 12.50 A Taste of Britain (S)(R) 1.50 Some Mothers Do 'Ave 'Em (S)(R) 2.15 Three Up, Two Down (S)(R) 2.45 Hi-de-Hi! (S)(R) 3.15 Flog It! (S)(R) 4.00 Speed Dreams: The Fastest Place on Earth (S)(R) 5.00 **Film: The Tuxedo** (2002) (12) Comedy adventure, starring Jackie Chan. (S) 6.30 **Film: Pompidou** (S)

**7.00 The Fifteen Billion Pound Railway** Engineer Linda Miller battles to rebuild a Victorian tunnel under the Royal Docks in the East End as part of the Crossrail train line linking east and west London. (S)(R)

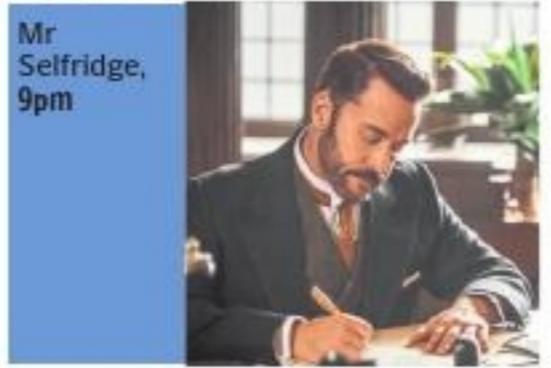
**8.00 Top Gear** Jeremy Clarkson and James May set off on an epic adventure to rescue Richard Hammond from a remote area of Canada. Gillian Anderson is the Star in the Reasonably Priced Car. (S)

**9.00 Let's Play Darts for Comic Relief** New series. Pro-celebrity tournament in aid of charity. (S) **9.50 Film: Cosmopolis** (2012) (15) Premiere. A billionaire driving across Manhattan has a series of strange encounters as he faces financial ruin. David Cronenberg's drama, with Robert Pattinson. (S)

**11.30 Film: Genghis Khan** (1965) (PG) Historical adventure, starring Omar Sharif. (S)

**1.30 Sign Zone: Countryfile** (S)(R) 2.30 Holby City (S)(R) 3.30 This Is BBC Two (S)

## ITV



**6.00 CITV** 7.30 **Scrambled! Scrambled!** (S) 7.35 **Scrambled! Nerds & Monsters** (S)(R) 7.50 **Scrambled! Ultimate Spider-Man** (S) 8.30 **Scrambled! Horrid Henry** (S) 8.50 **Scrambled! Deadtime Stories** (S)(R) 9.25 **The Jeremy Kyle Show** (S) (R) 12.35 **ITV News; Weather** (S) 12.45 **Nell Diamond: One Night Only** (S)(R) 1.55 **Catchphrase** (S)(R) 2.40 **Tipping Point** (S)(R) 3.40 **Film: A View to a Kill** (1985) (PG) James Bond adventure, starring Roger Moore. (S) 6.05 **ITV News** (S) 6.30 **The Chase: Celebrity Special** (S)

**7.30 Off Their Rockers** New series. Mo wreaks havoc on his mobility scooter. (S)

**8.00 All Star Family Fortunes** Celebrity Big Brother winner Katie Price and actor Charlie Lawson, best known as Coronation Street's Jim McDonald, play to win money for charity. (S)

**9.00 Mr Selfridge** Harry struggles to keep Violette in check, Gordon unwittingly commissions a racy window display, Victor brokers a shady deal and George helps Kitty confront her attackers. (S)

**10.00 ITV News; Weather (S)** **10.15 Cricket World Cup Highlights** England v Sri Lanka. Georgie Bingham presents action from the Pool A match at the Westpac Stadium in Wellington, New Zealand. (S)

**11.15 Premiership Rugby Union** Highlights of the latest top-flight fixtures, including Northampton Saints v Harlequins, Wasps v Gloucester and Leicester Tigers v Sale Sharks.

**12.15 The Store** 2.30 **The Jeremy Kyle Show USA** (S)(R) 3.15 **ITV Nightscreen** 5.05 **The Jeremy Kyle Show** (S)(R)

## Channel 4



**6.20 How I Met Your Mother** (S) 7.35 **Everybody Loves Raymond** (S)(R) 8.30 **Frasier** (S)(R) 9.30 **Sunday Brunch** (S) 12.30 **Amazing Spaces** Shed of the Year (S)(R) 1.30 **The Big Bang Theory** (S)(R) 2.30 **Film: The Wizard of Oz** (1939) (U) Musical fantasy. (S) 4.30 **Location, Location, Location** Helping two couples find homes in Liverpool. (S)(R) 5.35 **Channel 4 News** (S) 6.05 **A Place in the Sun: Winter Sun** Laura Hamilton helps a mother and son find a holiday home for the whole family in the Murcia region on Spain's Mediterranean coast, with a cash budget of £70,000. (S)

**7.00 Four Rooms** The dealers appraise an item gifted by Agatha Christie, an Elvis Presley photo album, a biblical ancient relic, a bronze skeleton and an artwork made in space. Anita Rani presents. (S)

**8.00 The Auction House** Roger sets art valuer Nick a challenging target – to sell at least half his pictures – and a regular customer goes in search of a buffalo skull for her kitchen. Last in the series. (S)

**9.00 Indian Summers** As the Sipi Fair gets under way, the Indian community is allowed onto the grounds of the British Club. Ralph conspires to get Aafra onside by granting him a sought-after promotion. (S)

**10.00 8 Out of 10 Cats Does Countdown** Jimmy Carr hosts the comedy panel show's version of the famous quiz. (S)(R)

**11.05 Film: Twilight** (2008) (12) Fantasy love story, with Kristen Stewart. (S)

**1.25 Ramsay's Kitchen Nightmares USA** (S)(R) 2.15 **The Million Pound Drop** (S)(R) 3.10 **Come Dine with Me** (S)(R) 3.35 **Come Dine with Me** (S)(R) 4.00 **Come Dine with Me** (S)(R) 4.30 **Come Dine with Me** (S)(R)

## Channel 5



**6.00 Milkshake!** 10.00 **SpongeBob SquarePants** 10.35 **Chinese Food In Minutes** (S)(R) 10.50 **The Dog Rescuers** (S)(R) 11.20 **The Hotel Inspector** (S)(R) 1.15 **Film: Thunderbirds** (2004) (PG) Sci-fi adventure, starring Bill Paxton. (S) 3.00 **Film: Arthur and the Invisibles** (2006) (U) Part-animated fantasy adventure, starring Freddie Highmore. (S) 4.45 **Film: Three Men and a Little Lady** (1990) (PG) Comedy sequel, starring Tom Selleck. (S) 6.45 **5 News Weekend** (S) 6.50 **Film: Ghost Rider** (2007) (12) Fantasy thriller, starring Nicolas Cage. (S)

**9.00 Film: Total Recall** (2012) (12) Premiere. A man living in a bleak future becomes a fugitive when he discovers he is a spy with his memory erased. Sci-fi remake, with Colin Farrell and Kate Beckinsale. (S)

**11.15 Film: Twelve Monkeys** (1995) (15) A man goes back in time to investigate a disaster, but begins to think he has only imagined his life in the future. Sci-fi thriller, starring Bruce Willis. (S)

**1.50 SuperCasino** 3.10 10,000 BC (S) (R) 4.00 **House Doctor** (S)(R) 4.25 **Make It Big** (S)(R) 4.50 **Make It Big** (S) (R) 5.15 **Angels of Jarm** (S)(R) 5.20 **Angels of Jarm** (S)(R) 5.30 **Angels of Jarm** (S)(R)

Bit More News for You 1.20 **Storage Hunters** 1.50 **Ross Noble: Freewheeling** 3.30 **Storage Hunters** 4.00 **Close**

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7.00 **The Fanatics** 8.00 **Glee** 9.00 **The Second Best Exotic Marigold Hotel Special** 9.30 **Chris & Wes: Let's Do This** 10.30 **Football's Funniest Moments** 11.00 **WWE: Raw** 12.00 **Modern Family** 1.00 **Inside RAF Brize Norton** 2.00 **Emergency Animal Rescue** 3.00 **Modern Family** 5.00 **The Simpsons** 6.00 **About a Boy** 6.30 **The Simpsons** 7.00 **Modern Family** 8.00 **The Flash** 9.00 **Hawaii Five-0** 10.00 **NCIS: Los Angeles** 12.00 **Hawaii Five-0** 1.00 **Brit Cops: War on Crime** 2.00 **Night Cops** 3.00 **Road Wars** 4.00 **UK Border Force**

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6.00 **Making David Attenborough's Micro Monsters** 7.00 **Star Trek: Enterprise** 9.00 **Without a Trace** 2.00 **Seinfeld** 5.00 **Blue Bloods** 9.00 **Game of Thrones** 10.00 **Fortitude** 11.00 **Penny Dreadful** 12.10 **The Sopranos** 1.25 **Six Feet Under** 2.30 **God Save the Queens** 3.30 **Enlightened** 4.00 **House**

Monday March 2<sup>nd</sup>

## BBC1

Waterloo Road, 10.55pm



## BBC2

Only Connect, 8.30pm



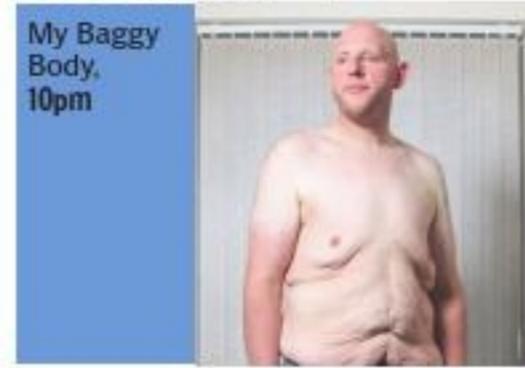
## ITV

Emmerdale, 7pm



## Channel 4

My Baggy Body, 10pm



## Channel 5

Benefits Britain: Life on the Dole, 9pm



## DAYTIME

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**6.00 Breakfast** (S) **9.15 Heir Hunters** (S) **10.00 Homes Under the Hammer** (S)(R) **11.00 Operation Hospital Food with James Martin** (S)(R) **11.45 Watchdog Test House** (S) **12.15 Bargain Hunt** (S) **1.00 BBC News**; Weather; (S) **1.45 Doctors** (S) **2.15 WPC 56** Gina searches for a runaway girl. (S)(R) **3.00 The Link** Quiz show, hosted by Mark Williams. (S) **3.45 Escape to the Country** (S)(R) **4.30 Put Your Money Where Your Mouth Is** (S) **5.15 Pointless** (S)(R) **6.00 BBC News**; Weather (S) **6.30 BBC Regional News Programmes**; Weather (S)

**7.00 The One Show** Hosted by Alex Jones and Matt Baker. (S) **7.30 Inside Out** Regional documentary; (S) BBC News; Regional News (S)

**8.00 EastEnders** The police deliver worrying news about Dean. (S) **8.30 What Britain Wants – Panorama** Asking whether traditional aspirations can be delivered in modern Britain. (S)

**9.00 Crimewatch** A report into claims that acid attacks are on the rise on the streets of Britain. Plus, how the murder of a teenager was finally solved 21 years later thanks to a change in the law. (S)

**10.00 BBC News** (S) **10.25 BBC Regional News and Weather** (S) **10.45 Crimewatch Update** Responses to the earlier programme. (S) **10.55 Waterloo Road** (S)

**11.50 The Graham Norton Show** With Will Smith, Hugh Jackman, Margot Robbie and Noel Gallagher. (S)(R) **11.50 Granada/YTV The Super League Show** (S)

**12.35 FILM** The Daisy Chain (2008) (18) Horror, starring Samantha Morton. (S) **2.00 Weather for the Week Ahead** (S) **2.05 BBC News** (S)

**7.05 Countryside** 999 (S)(R) **7.50 Real Lives Reunited** (S)(R) **8.20 Sign Zone: Wanted Down Under** (S)(R) **9.05 Sign Zone: Celebrity Antiques Road Trip** (S)(R) **10.05 Sign Zone: Great British Railway Journeys** (S)(R) **10.35 Click** (S) **11.00 BBC News** (S) **11.30 BBC World News** (S) **12.00 Daily Politics** (S) **1.00 The A to Z of TV Gardening** (S)(R) **1.05 Cagney & Lacey** (S)(R) **1.50 The World at War** (S)(R) **2.45 Africa** (S)(R) **3.45 Some Mothers Do 'Ave 'Em** (S)(R) **4.15 Three Up, Two Down** (S)(R) **4.45 Hi-de-Hi!** (S)(R) **5.15 Flog It!** (S)(R) **6.00 Two Tribes** (S) **6.30 Eggheads** (S)(R)

**7.00 Top Gear** Jeremy Clarkson and James May set off on an epic adventure to rescue Richard Hammond from a remote area of Canada. Gillian Anderson is the Star in the Reasonably Priced Car. (S)(R)

**8.00 University Challenge** The quarter-final matches continue. (S) **8.30 Only Connect** Three chess enthusiasts take on a team of Doctor Who fans in the last quarter-final. (S)

**9.00 A Cook Abroad: Rick Stein's Australia** The chef embarks on a culinary tour of Australia, learning the art of cooking the Aboriginal way in Botany Bay and hunting for wallaby in Tasmania. (S)

**10.00 Let's Play Darts for Comic Relief** Richard Osman and Dara Hedman take on Liza Tarbuck and Bobby George. (S) **10.30 Newsnight** (S)

**11.15 Weather** (S) **11.20 Suffragettes Forever! The Story of Women and Power** The campaign by women for political and sexual equality in Britain. (S)(R)

**12.20 Sign Zone: Inside the Commons** (S)(R) **1.20 This Is BBC Two** (S) **3.55 BBC Learning Zone** (S)(R)

**6.00 Good Morning Britain** (S) **8.30 Loraine** (S) **9.25 The Jeremy Kyle Show** (S) **10.30 This Morning** (S) **10.55 ITV News**; Weather (S) **11.00 This Morning** (S) **12.30 Loose Women** (S) **1.30 ITV News** (S) **1.55 ITV Regional News**; Weather (S) **2.00 Judge Rinder** Real-life cases in a studio courtroom. (S) **3.00 Tipping Point** Quiz show, hosted by Ben Shephard. (S) **3.59 ITV Regional Weather** (S) **4.00 1000 Heartbeats** Quiz show, hosted by Vernon Kay. (S) **5.00 The Chase** Quiz show, hosted by Bradley Walsh. (S) **6.00 ITV Regional News**; Weather (S) **6.30 ITV News** (S)

**7.00 Emmerdale** The police interview Alicia. (S) **7.30 Coronation Street** The real Gavin Rodwell turns up at Andy's flat. (S)

**8.00 More Tales from Northumberland with Robson Green** The actor canoes along Northumberland's longest river, the Coquet. (S) **8.30 Coronation Street** David loses his temper. (S)

**9.00 Arthur & George** New series. Drama based on real events in the life of Sherlock Holmes creator Arthur Conan Doyle, as he pursues a notorious miscarriage of justice. Starring Martin Clunes. (S)

**10.00 ITV News and Weather** (S) **10.30 ITV Regional News**; Weather (S) **10.40 The Jonathan Ross Show** The host is joined by Hollywood actress Sigourney Weaver and Doc Martin star Martin Clunes. (S)(R)

**11.45 A Great Welsh Adventure with Griff Rhys Jones** The funnyman explores the Gower Peninsula. (S)(R)

**12.15 Jackpot247** 3.00 UEFA Champions League Weekly (S) **3.30 ITV Nightscreen** **5.05 The Jeremy Kyle Show** (S)(R)

**12.05 Ramsay's Kitchen Nightmares USA** (S)(R) **12.55 FILM Alois Nebel** (2011) (15) **2.25 Random Acts** (S)(R) **2.30 Double Your House for Half the Money** (S)(R) **3.30 Location, Location, Location** (S)(R)

**6.00 Countdown** (S)(R) **6.45 The King of Queens** (S)(R) **7.10 3rd Rock from the Sun** (S)(R) **8.00 Frasier** (S)(R) **9.00 Everybody Loves Raymond** (S)(R) **10.00 Undercover Boss USA** (S)(R) **11.00 For the Love of Cars** (S)(R) **12.00 Channel 4 News** (S) **12.05 Come Dine with Me** (S)(R) **1.05 A Place in the Sun: Winter Sun** (S)(R) **2.10 Countdown** (S) **3.00 Deal or No Deal** Beat-the-banker game show. (S) **4.00 Come Dine with Me** (S) **5.00 Four in a Bed** (S) **5.30 Coach Trip** (S) **6.00 The Simpsons** (S)(R) **6.30 Hollyoaks** Nancy's behaviour sparks an outburst from a village resident. (S)

**7.00 Channel 4 News** (S)

**8.00 Britain's Benefits Crackdown: Channel 4 Dispatches** Liz MacKean investigates the impact of benefits sanctions. (S) **8.30 Food Unwrapped** Pine nuts, red Leicester and glace cherries. Last in the series. (S)

**9.00 NHS: £2billion a Week & Counting** The interactive show considers the funding of one of the world's most expensive drugs. (S)

**10.00 My Baggy Body** First Cut documentary following three people who have been left with large amounts of excess skin as a result of losing 43 stone between them. (S)(R)

**11.00 24 Hours in A&E** A nine-year-old boy has a dangerously high heart rate, and doctors fear a 32-year-old man may have damaged his spine in a 30ft fall from scaffolding. (S)(R)

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**6.00 Milkshake!** 9.15 **The Wright Stuff** 11.10 **The Hotel Inspector** (S)(R) **12.10 5 News Lunchtime** (S) **12.15 Costa Del Casualty: Benidorm ER** (S)(R) **1.15 Home and Away** (S) **1.45 Neighbours** (S) **2.15 NCIS** Part two of two. Abby creates a 3D computer model of the attack that injured Joe Westcott. (S)(R) **3.15 FILM Out of Control** (2009) (12) Crime thriller, starring Laura Vandervoort. (S) **5.00 5 News at 5** (S) **5.30 Neighbours** Paige finally meets Bryson, who insists he is innocent. (S) **6.00 Home and Away** (S)(R) **6.30 5 News Tonight** (S)

**7.00 The Gadget Show** New series. Jason Bradbury and Amy Williams compete to see which of them can design the best gadget, creating a drone with a difference and an item of wearable technology; (S) **5 News**

**8.00 Police Interceptors** PC Barry Peach hunts for a man wanted for assault, officers are on the trail of a suspected drug dealer and dog-handler Jon Peacock has an encounter with two law-breakers; (S) **5 News at 9** (S)

**9.00 Benefits Britain: Life on the Dole** People living on state welfare in seaside towns in the south of England, including an English Defence League supporter in Margate and a single mum in Hastings. (S)

**10.00 10,000 BC** The medic is called in when Mike's condition deteriorates and the members of the tribe must pass judgment on an incident involving Jodie and Paul. (S)

**11.00 FILM Crimson Tide** (1995) (15) A veteran US submarine captain clashes with his first officer over whether to launch their nuclear weapons. Thriller, with Gene Hackman. (S)

**1.10 SuperCasino** 3.10 **Costa Del Casualty: Benidorm ER** (S)(R) **4.00 Wildlife SOS** (S)(R) **4.25 HouseBusters** (S)(R) **4.45 House Doctor** (S)(R) **5.10 House Doctor** (S)(R)

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7.00 **Greggs: More Than Meats the Pi** 8.00 **Ashley Banjo's Secret Street Crew** 9.00 **NCIS: Los Angeles** 10.00 **Hawaii Five-0** 1.00 **NCIS: Los Angeles** 3.00 **The Real & E** 4.00 **Futurama** 5.00 **The Simpsons** 5.30 **Futurama** 6.30 **The Simpsons** 8.00 **The Holidaymakers** 9.00 **Moone Boy** 9.30 **Arrow** 10.30 **Critical** 11.30 **Futurama** 12.00 **NCIS: Los Angeles** 2.00 **Hawaii Five-0** 4.00 **Airline USA** 5.00 **Stargate Atlantis**  
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6.00 **Seinfeld** 7.00 **Stargate SG-1** 8.00 **Stargate Atlantis** 9.00 **Star Trek: Enterprise** 10.00 **House** 11.00 **Blue Bloods** 12.00 **Without a Trace** 1.00 **Seinfeld** 2.00 **Stargate SG-1** 4.00 **Stargate Atlantis** 5.00 **Star Trek: Enterprise** 6.00 **House** 7.00 **Blue Bloods** 8.00 **Without a Trace** 9.00 **Richard E. Grant's Hotel Secrets** 10.00 **Girls** 10.35 **Together** 11.10 **Last Week Tonight with John Oliver** 11.45 **Veep** 12.20 **The Sopranos** 2.35 **Six Feet Under** 3.45 **Enlightened** 4.10 **Stargate SG-1** 5.05 **Star Trek: Enterprise**

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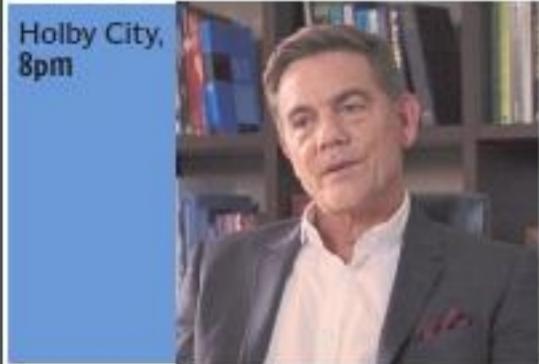
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## Tuesday March 3rd

## BBC1



**6.00 Breakfast** (S) **9.15** **Heir Hunters** (S) **10.00** **Homes Under the Hammer** (S) **11.00** **Operation Hospital Food with James Martin** (S)(R) **11.45** **Watchdog Test House** (S) **12.15** **Bargain Hunt** (S)(R) **1.00** **BBC News**; Weather; (S) BBC Regional News and Weather. (S) **1.45** **Doctors** (S) **2.15** **WPC 56** Max and Fenton investigate a spate of counterfeit notes. (S)(R) **3.00** **The Link** (S) **3.45** **Escape to the Country** (S) **4.30** **Put Your Money Where Your Mouth Is** (S) **5.15** **Pointless** (S)(R) **6.00** **BBC News**; Weather (S) **6.30** **BBC Regional News Programmes**; Weather (S)

## DAYTIME

7

**7.00** **The One Show** Live chat and topical reports. (S)  
**7.30** **EastEnders** Linda reveals her fears to Elaine; (S) BBC News; Regional News (S)

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**8.00** **Holby City** Harry confronts his feelings for Mary-Claire when he learns she may be leaving, while Jonny finds he is in the firing line following the death of Elliot's patient. (S)

9

**9.00** **The Gift** A former armed robber wants to make amends, while a mother wishes to thank the woman who drove her 50 miles to the hospital every day to see her premature baby. Last in the series. (S)

## 10

**10.00** **BBC News** (S)  
**10.25** **BBC Regional News and Weather**; (S) National Lottery Update (S)  
**10.45** **No Place to Call Home** A look at the impact of homelessness on children. (S)

11

**11.45** **Film Cemetery Junction (2010) (15)** Comedy drama, with Christian Cooke and Tom Hughes. (S)

## AFTER 12

**1.15** **Weather for the Week Ahead** (S)  
**1.20** **BBC News** (S)

## DIGITAL

## BBC2



**7.50** **An Island Parish** (S)(R) **8.20** **Sign Zone: Wanted Down Under** (S)(R) **9.05** **Sign Zone: Attenborough's Paradise Birds** (S)(R) **10.05** **Sign Zone: Great British Railway Journeys** (S)(R) **10.35** **HARDtalk** (S) **11.00** **BBC News** (S) **11.30** **BBC World News** (S) **12.00** **Daily Politics** (S) **1.00** **The A to Z of TV Gardening** (S)(R) **1.05** **The Super League Show** (S)(R) **1.50** **The World at War** (S)(R) **2.45** **Frozen Planet** (S)(R) **3.45** **Some Mothers Do 'Ave 'Em** (S) (R) **4.15** **Three Up, Two Down** (S)(R) **4.45** **Hi-de-Hi!** (S)(R) **5.15** **Flog It!** (S) (R) **6.00** **Two Tribes** (S) **6.30** **Eggheads** (S)(R)

**7.00** **Wanted In Paradise** Steve and Stef Jackson and daughter Katia leave their Loughborough semi to sample life for a week on a smallholding in the Central American country of Costa Rica. (S)

**8.00** **Super-Powered Owls: Natural World** An investigation into how the birds hunt in the dark and why they are able to fly so quietly, getting an insight into their world through the eyes of two barn owl chicks. (S)

**9.00** **Horizon: Secrets of the Solar System** An examination of how the regular discovery of distant planets is forcing scientists to put forward new theories to explain the creation of the solar system. (S)

**10.00** **Let's Play Darts for Comic Relief** Sean Lock and Ted Hankey take on Tim Vine and Darryl Fitton. (S)  
**10.30** **Newsnight** (S)

**11.15** **Weather** (S)  
**11.20** **Reinventing the Royals** Part one of two. The monarchy's relationship with the media over the past 20 years. (S)(R)

**12.20** **Sign Zone: Film 2015** (S)(R)  
**12.50** **This Is BBC Two** (S) **4.00** **BBC Learning Zone** (S)(R)

## ITV



**7pm** **Emmerdale**, **Emmerdale**, **7pm**  
**6.00** **Good Morning Britain** (S) **8.30** **Lorraine** (S) **9.25** **The Jeremy Kyle Show** (S) **10.30** **This Morning** (S) **10.55** **ITV News**; Weather (S) **11.00** **This Morning** (S) **12.30** **Loose Women** (S) **1.30** **ITV News** (S) **1.55** **ITV Regional News**; Weather (S) **2.00** **Judge Rinder** Real-life cases in a studio courtroom. (S) **3.00** **Tipping Point** Quiz show, hosted by Ben Shephard. (S) **3.59** **ITV Regional Weather** (S) **4.00** **1000 Heartbeats** Quiz show, hosted by Vernon Kay. (S) **5.00** **The Chase** Quiz show, hosted by Bradley Walsh. (S) **6.00** **ITV Regional News**; Weather (S) **6.30** **ITV News** (S)

**7.00** **Emmerdale** Alicia steals herself to tell Jacob about the incident. (S)  
**7.30** **River Monsters** A bloody attack in the Parana River in Argentina. (S)

**8.00** **Bargain Fever Britain** Part one of two. A look at the discount retail boom, with access to four major businesses that are thriving as an increasing number of people search for a bargain. (S)

**9.00** **Exposure: When Pregnant Women Drink** Ranvir Singh meets four people affected by foetal alcohol spectrum disorder, as she investigates the impact of drinking during pregnancy. (S)

**10.00** **ITV News and Weather** (S)  
**10.30** **ITV Regional News**; Weather (S)  
**10.40** **On Assignment** Bjorn Ulvaeus's views on a cashless society. (S)

**11.10** **Bear Grylls: Mission Survive** The celebrities navigate their way through dense jungle down a ravine. (S)(R)

**12.10** **Jackpot247** **3.00** **Loose Women** (R) **3.45** **ITV Nightscreen** **5.05** **The Jeremy Kyle Show** (S)(R)

in the Blood **12.35** **Cracker** **1.30** **The Royal** **2.25** **ITV3 Nightscreen** **2.30** **Teleshopping**

**BBC3 SKY: 115 FV: 7**  
**7.00** **Don't Tell the Bride** **9.00** **World's Toughest Jobs**  
**10.00** **Uncle** **10.30** **EastEnders** **11.00** **Family Guy**  
**11.45** **American Dad!** **12.05** **Family Guy** **12.30** **Uncle**  
**1.00** **World's Toughest Jobs** **2.00** **Bangkok Airport** **2.55** **South Side Story** **3.25** **Uncle** **3.55** **Close**

**BBC4 SKY: 116 FV: 9**  
**7.00** **World News Today**; Weather **7.30** **Great Continental Railway Journeys** **8.30** **Secret Knowledge: The Private Life of a Dolls' House** **9.00** **Film: Emma (1996)** (U) **10.55** **Twin Sisters: A World Apart** **11.55** **Rise of the Continents** **12.55** **Great Continental Railway Journeys** **1.55** **Wallander** **3.20** **Secret Knowledge: The Private Life of a Dolls' House** **3.50** **Close**

**E4 SKY: 136 FV: 28**  
**6.00** **Hollyoaks** **6.25** **Happy Endings** **6.45** **Charmed**  
**7.35** **Made in Chelsea** **End of Season Party** **8.35** **Rules of Engagement** **9.30** **Baby Daddy** **10.00** **Charmed**

**12.00** **Hollyoaks** **12.30** **Rules of Engagement** **1.00** **How I Met Your Mother** **2.00** **The Big Bang Theory** **3.00** **Baby Daddy** **3.30** **Melissa & Joey** **4.00** **New Girl** **4.30** **Suburgatory** **5.00** **How I Met Your Mother** **6.00** **The Big Bang Theory** **7.00** **Hollyoaks** **7.30** **Melissa & Joey** **8.00** **Brooklyn Nine-Nine** **8.30** **The Big Bang Theory** **9.00** **The 10.00** **Supernatural** **11.00** **The Big Bang Theory** **10.00** **The 11.00** **Supernatural** **11.00** **The Big Bang Theory** **12.00** **Rules of Engagement** **1.00** **New Girl** **2.00** **Don't Trust the B\*\*\*\* in Apartment 23** **2.45** **The Cleveland Show** **3.10** **Taking New York** **4.00** **Made in Chelsea** **End of Season Party** **4.55** **Charmed**

**MORE4 SKY: 138 FV: 14**  
**8.55** **Location, Location, Location** **10.00** **Come Dine with Me** **11.05** **Kirstie's Vintage Gems** **11.20** **Film: Heaven Knows, Mr Allison (1957)** (PG) **1.25** **Time Team** **3.35** **Is Our Weather Getting Worse?** **4.40** **A Place in the Sun: Home or Away** **6.50** **Building the Dream** **7.55** **Grand Designs** **9.00** **Selling Houses with Amanda Lamb** **10.00** **Grand Designs Australia** **11.10** **The Mega Brothel** **12.10** **Ramsay's Kitchen Nightmares USA** **1.10** **24 Hours to Go Broke** **4.00** **Close**

## Channel 4



**8pm** **Mary Portas: Secret Shopper**, **8pm**  
**6.00** **Countdown** (S)(R) **6.45** **The King of Queens** (S)(R) **7.10** **3rd Rock from the Sun** (S)(R) **8.00** **Frasier** (S)(R) **9.00** **Everybody Loves Raymond** (S)(R) **10.00** **Undercover Boss USA** (S)(R) **11.00** **For the Love of Cars** (S)(R) **12.00** **Channel 4 News** (S) **12.05** **Come Dine with Me** (S)(R) **1.05** **A Place in the Sun: Winter Sun** (S)(R) **2.10** **Countdown** (S) **3.00** **Deal or No Deal** Beat-the-banker game show. (S) **4.00** **Come Dine with Me** Four hosts in Bath compete to throw the best dinner party. (S) **5.00** **Four in a Bed** (S) **5.30** **Coach Trip** (S) **6.00** **The Simpsons** (S) (R) **6.30** **Hollyoaks** (S)

**7.00** **Channel 4 News** (S)

**8.00** **Mary Portas: Secret Shopper** The retail guru tries to save a family-run department store in Lowestoft, Suffolk, which customers are deserting, resulting in a dire financial situation. (S)

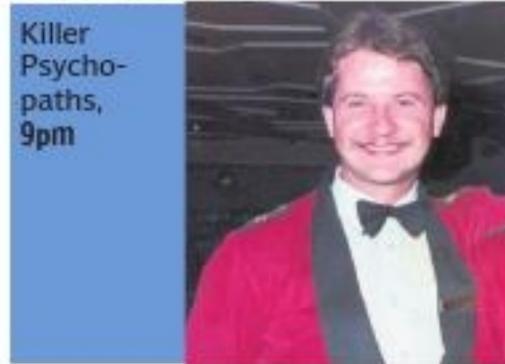
**9.00** **The Romanians Are Coming** With one in 10 people leaving Romania, this edition explores the reasons for this mass migration, from racism to poverty and homelessness. Last in the series. (S)

**10.00** **Drugs Live: Cannabis on Trial** Volunteers including Jon Snow, Matthew Parris and Jennie Bond take part in a six-month scientific trial examining the effects of two forms of cannabis on the brain. (S)

**11.35** **Don't Look Down** The death-defying craze of urban free-climbing. (S)(R)

**12.30** **Poker** (S) **1.25** **KOTV Boxing Weekly** (S) **1.50** **Trans World Sport** (S) (R) **2.45** **FIM Superbike World Championship** (S)(R) **3.15** **The Grid** (S) (R) **3.45** **Location, Location, Location** (S)(R) **4.40** **Deal or No Deal** (S)(R)

## Channel 5



**9pm** **Killer Psychopaths**, **9pm**  
**6.00** **Milkshake!** **9.15** **The Wright Stuff** **11.10** **The Hotel Inspector** (S)(R) **12.10** **5 News Lunchtime** (S) **12.15** **Cowboy Builders** (S)(R) **1.15** **Home and Away** (S) **1.45** **Neighbours** (S) **2.15** **NCIS** (S)(R) **3.15** **Film Stealing Paradise (2011)** (PG) Thriller, starring Rachael Leigh Cook. (S) **5.00** **5 News** at 5 (S) **5.30** **Neighbours** Harold returns to Ramsay Street. (S)(R) **6.00** **Home and Away** Leah is rushed to hospital in a critical condition, Hannah is told she might never walk again, Kyle is in an induced coma and Sophie hands herself in to the police. (S)(R) **6.30** **5 News Tonight** (S)

**7.00** **Police Interceptors** PC Barry Peach hunts for a man wanted for assault; (S)(R) **5 News Update** (S)

**8.00** **Costa Del Casualty: Benidorm ER** A pensioner comes into the hospital gasping for air; (S) **5 News at 9** (S)

**9.00** **Killer Psychopaths** David Wilson analyses the personality and motivations of serial killer Steve Wright, who murdered five women in 2006 and became known as the Suffolk Strangler. (S)

**10.00** **Chicago PD** New series. Crime drama following the work of patrol officers and members of the department's Intelligence unit, who tackle Chicago's toughest criminals. Jason Beghe stars. (S)

**11.00** **Jack the Ripper: New Suspect Revealed** Trevor Marriott reinvestigates the 19th-century Whitechapel murders. (S)(R)

**12.00** **GPs: Behind Closed Doors** (S) (R) **1.00** **SuperCasino** **3.10** **Jack the Ripper: New Suspect Revealed** (S)(R) **4.00** **Wildlife SOS** (S)(R) **4.25** **HouseBusters</b**

Wednesday March 4<sup>th</sup>

## BBC1



Match of the Day, 10.45pm

## DAYTIME

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**6.00 Breakfast** (S) **9.15 Heir Hunters** (S) **10.00 Homes Under the Hammer** (S)(R) **11.00 Operation Hospital Food with James Martin** (S)(R) **11.45 Watchdog Test House** (S) **12.15 Bargain Hunt** (S) **1.00 BBC News**; Weather; (S) **1.45 Doctors** (S) **2.15 WPC 56** (S)(R) **3.00 The Link** (S) **3.45 Escape to the Country** (S)(R) **4.30 Put Your Money Where Your Mouth Is** (S) **5.15 Pointless** (S)(R) **6.00 BBC News**; Weather (S) **6.30 BBC Regional News Programmes**; Weather (S) **6.55 Party Political Broadcast** (S)(R)

8

**7.00 The One Show** Matt Baker and Alex Jones present the live magazine show featuring topical reports from around the UK and big-name studio guests; (S) **BBC News**; Regional News (S)

9

**8.00 The Great Comic Relief Bake Off** Ed Byrne hosts the celebrity baking show, with Victoria Wood, Chris Moyles, Alexa Chung and Kayvan Novak taking on three culinary challenges for charity. Last in the series. (S)

10

**10.00 BBC News** (S) **10.25 BBC Regional News and Weather**; (S) **National Lottery Update** (S)

**10.45 Match of the Day** Gary Lineker introduces action from the latest Premier League matches, including West Ham United v Chelsea at Upton Park and Manchester City v Leicester City at the Etihad Stadium. (S)

11

**12.15 FILM Three Fugitives** (1989) (PG) Comedy, starring Nick Nolte. (S) **1.45 Weather for the Week Ahead** (S) **1.50 BBC News** (S)

12

**ITV2 SKY: 118 FV: 6**  
6.00 You've Been Framed! **6.25 Psych** **7.10** Emmerdale **7.40** The Guide to You've Been Framed! **8.40 Dinner Date** **9.40 Catchphrase** **10.25 Psych** **11.20 Royal Pains** **12.10** Emmerdale **12.40** The Cube **1.40 Dinner Date** **2.40** The Jeremy Kyle Show **6.00** You've Been Framed! **7.00** You've Been Framed and Famous! **8.00** Two and a Half Men **9.00** The Vampire Diaries **10.00** FILM: The Butterfly Effect (2004) (15) **12.20** Two and a Half Men **1.20** The Vampire Diaries **2.15** Teleshopping **5.45** ITV2 Nightscreen

**ITV3 SKY: 119 FV: 10**  
6.00 Fresh Fields **6.25** Hamish Macbeth **7.30** Heartbeat **8.30** Where the Heart Is **9.35** The Royal **10.40** Judge Judy **12.00** Murder, She Wrote **1.00** Heartbeat **2.05** Where the Heart Is **3.10** The Royal **4.15** Fresh Fields **4.50** Rising Damp **5.20** On the Buses **5.55** Heartbeat **6.55** Murder, She Wrote **8.00** Rosemary & Thyme **9.00** Paul O'Grady: For the Love of Dogs **10.00** Law & Order: UK **11.00** Wycliffe **12.10**

## DIGITAL

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## BBC2



Suffragettes Forever! The Story of Women and Power, 8pm

**6.45 Canterbury Cathedral** (S)(R) **7.45 An Island Parish** (S)(R) **8.15 Sign Zone: Wanted Down Under** (S)(R) **9.00 Sign Zone: Eat Well for Less?** (S)(R) **10.00 Sign Zone: Great British Railway Journeys** (S)(R) **10.30 Sign Zone: See Hear** (S) **11.00 BBC News** (S) **11.30 Daily Politics** (S) **1.00 The A to Z of TV Gardening** (S)(R) **1.05 Cagney & Lacey** (S)(R) **1.50 The World at War** (S)(R) **2.45 Frozen Planet** (S) (R) **3.45 Some Mothers Do 'Ave 'Em** (S)(R) **4.15 Three Up, Two Down** (S)(R) **4.45 Hi-de-Hi!** (S)(R) **5.15 Flog It!** (S) (R) **Party Political Broadcast** (S) **6.00 Two Tribes** (S) **6.30 Eggheads** (S)(R)

**7.00 Wanted in Paradise** A couple sample life on Tortola in the British Virgin Islands, with the husband trying to persuade his wife to abandon their friends, family and much-loved home in Hertfordshire. (S)

**8.00 Suffragettes Forever! The Story of Women and Power** Amanda Vickery examines the development of women's rights during the reign of Queen Victoria. (S)

**9.00 Surviving Sandy Hook** Documentary following families affected by the mass shooting at the Connecticut school in 2012 as they try to make sense of the tragedy and find a way to rebuild their lives. (S)

**10.00 Let's Play Darts for Comic Relief** Bob Mortimer and Andy Fordham take on Roisin Conaty and Richie George. (S)

**10.30 Newsnight** (S)

**11.15 Weather** (S) **11.20 Reinventing the Royals** Part two of two. Steve Hewlett examines the relationship between the royal family and the BBC. (S)(R)

**12.20 Sign Zone: See Hear** (S)(R) **12.50 Modern Times: Warwick Davis' Big Night** (S)(R) **1.50 This Is BBC Two** (S) **4.00 BBC Learning Zone** (S)(R)

## ITV



Coronation Street, 7.30pm

**6.00 Good Morning Britain** (S) **8.30 Lorraline** (S) **9.25 The Jeremy Kyle Show** (S) **10.30 This Morning** (S) **10.55 ITV News**; Weather (S) **11.00 This Morning** (S) **12.30 Loose Women** (S) **1.30 ITV News** (S) **1.55 ITV Regional News**; Weather (S) **2.00 Judge Rinder** Real-life cases in a studio courtroom. (S) **3.00 Tipping Point** (S) **3.59 ITV Regional Weather** (S) **4.00 1000 Heartbeats** Quiz show, hosted by Vernon Kay. (S) **5.00 The Chase** Quiz show, hosted by Bradley Walsh. (S) **6.00 ITV Regional News**; Weather (S) **6.25 Party Political Broadcast** (S) **6.30 ITV News** (S)

**7.00 Emmerdale** Leyla and David are shocked by Alicia's admission. (S) **7.30 Coronation Street** Anna and Owen are worried by Faye's behaviour at a parents' evening. (S)

**8.00 Big Star's Little Star** New series. A peek into the lives of stars, with Ronan Keating and his daughter, Sheree Murphy and her daughter, and Carl Froch and his son. Stephen Mulhern hosts. (S)

**9.00 DCI Banks** New series. Part one of two. When an Estonian woman is found dead, having been buried alive, the team uncovers a dark world of vice in a town where nobody wants to talk. (S)

**10.00 ITV News and Weather** (S) **10.30 ITV Regional News**; Weather (S) **10.45 Pop Gold** New series. Musical clips from the ITV archives, with a "hellraisers" theme. (S)

**11.40 Spandau Ballet: True Gold** The band discuss their career and play their biggest hits. (S)(R)

**12.35 Jackpot247** **3.00** The Jeremy Kyle Show USA (S)(R) **3.40** ITV Nightscreen **5.05** The Jeremy Kyle Show (S)(R)

**12.45 Ramsay's Kitchen Nightmares USA** (S)(R) **1.35 FILM The Conspirator** (2010) (12) (S) **3.35 Location, Location, Location** (S)(R) **4.30** Kirstie's Vintage Gems (S)(R) **4.40 Deal or No Deal** (S)(R) **5.35 Face the Clock** (S)(R)

## Channel 4



Location, Location, Location, 8pm

**6.00 Countdown** (S)(R) **6.45 The King of Queens** (S)(R) **7.10 3rd Rock from the Sun** (S)(R) **8.00 Frasier** (S)(R) **9.00 Everybody Loves Raymond** (S)(R) **10.00 Undercover Boss USA** (S)(R) **11.00 For the Love of Cars** (S)(R) **12.00 Channel 4 News** (S) **12.05 Come Dine with Me** (S)(R) **1.05 A Place in the Sun: Winter Sun** (S)(R) **2.10 Countdown** (S) **3.00 Deal or No Deal** Beat-the-banker game show. (S) **4.00 Come Dine with Me** Four dinner parties in and around Leeds. (S) **5.00 Four in a Bed** (S) **5.30 Coach Trip** (S) **6.00 The Simpsons** (S)(R) **6.30 Hollyoaks** (S)

**7.00 Channel 4 News** (S)

**8.00 Location, Location, Location** Revisiting a couple who found what they were looking for in Portsmouth, only to encounter problems with the negotiations, and a pair who wanted a rural idyll in Stansted. (S)

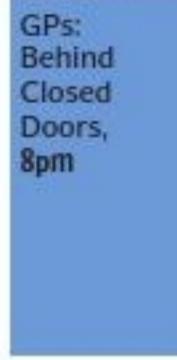
**9.00 24 Hours in A&E** A 19-year-old woman is brought in with possible spinal injuries after falling from a second-floor window, while a 59-year-old woman is treated following a suspected stroke. (S)

**10.00 Being Bipolar** Psychotherapist Philippa Perry explores bipolar disorder from the perspective of those living with it, to see the impact the illness has on them, their friends and family. (S)

**11.00 My Tattoo Addiction** A woman gets her first tattoo to celebrate the most important person in her life. Last in the series. (S)(R) **11.50 Music on 4: Nas: Time Is Illmatic** (S)

**12.00 Trauma Doctors: Every Second Counts** (S)(R) **1.00 SuperCasino** **3.10** Britain's Biggest Primary School (S)(R) **4.00 Wildlife SOS** (S)(R) **4.25** HouseBusters (S)(R) **4.45 House Doctor** (S)(R)

## Channel 5



GPs: Behind Closed Doors, 8pm

**6.00 Milkshake!** **9.15 The Wright Stuff** Topical talk show. **11.10 The Hotel Inspector** (S)(R) **12.10 5 News Lunchtime** (S) **12.15 Britain's Biggest Primary School** (S)(R) **1.15 Home and Away** (S) **1.45 Neighbours** (S) **2.15 NCIS: New Orleans** A Navy lieutenant dies of bubonic plague. (S) **3.15 FILM Honor Student** (2014) (15) Premiere. Thriller, starring Josie Loren. (S) **5.00 5 News at 5** (S) **5.30 Neighbours** Harold reveals he and Carolyn have broken up. (S)(R) **6.00 Home and Away** Spencer asks Oscar for help in tracking Maddy down. (S)(R) **6.30 5 News Tonight** (S)

**7.00 Cowboy Builders** Dominic Littlewood returns to Caerphilly to find out what happened to a couple he helped in 2012, after their cottage was left with no water, gas or heating. Last in the series; (S) **5 News Update** (S)

**8.00 GPs: Behind Closed Doors** The doctors see patients who have sought out alternative treatments, including a woman who has been administering a mysterious Chinese ointment to painful blisters; (S) **5 News** (S)

**9.00 My Violent Child: Tearing Us Apart** New series. Documentary about parents who are being physically abused by their children, beginning with two families whose lives are being ruined by violence in the home.

**10.00 Farage Fans & UKIP Lovers** Documentary exploring the wide spectrum of people who are supporters of the political party, including fishermen who believe EU directives and quotas are killing their industry. (S)

**11.00 Benefits Britain: Life on the Dole** People living on state welfare in seaside towns in the south of England. (S)(R)

**12.00 Trauma Doctors: Every Second Counts** (S)(R) **1.00 SuperCasino** **3.10** Britain's Biggest Primary School (S)(R) **4.00 Wildlife SOS** (S)(R) **4.25** HouseBusters (S)(R) **4.45 House Doctor** (S)(R)

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# The world of Stephen

AWARD winning stand-up comedian Stephen K Amos will bring his sophisticated presence to The Cornerstone Arts Centre in Didcot tomorrow evening, February 27.

The funnyman, who recently performed at The Theatre Chipping Norton, comes to the Station Road venue with his 'Welcome to my World' tour, which began in September last year and finishes at the start of March.

"I have never appeared at The Cornerstone in Didcot before, so hopefully it won't be like a first date," he said.

"You know, awkward and stifled chat, but like new friends ready to play and have a sleep over.

"The audience can totally expect raucous belly laughs - it's a comedy show, not a lecture and who knows, by the end I may be elected the new mayor."

A familiar face in the comedy circuit, Stephen has won many awards throughout his career.

By James Richings

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However, the comic said that he had originally had plans to enter another line of work before falling into comedy.

"I fell into this profession by pure accident," he said.

"I was on the path to becoming a barrister when on a night out in New York City, a young lady I met told me I was funny and invited me to compere her comedy show.

"As we know women are never wrong - I took her advice and gave it a go.

"Anyone who does a job they genuinely enjoy and love will find it a pleasure to do so."

Tickets cost from £15.50, and the show is suitable for anyone over the age of 16. Visit [cornerstone-arts.org](http://cornerstone-arts.org) for more details or to book.



## Milton Jones

ONE-LINER and pun genius Milton Jones will be at The New Theatre Oxford on Sunday, March 1.

The 50-year-old, who regularly appears on comedy panel show 'Mock the Week', comes to the George Street theatre as part of his 'Milton Jones: Temple of Daft' tour. It starts at 8pm.

## Gina Yashere

FUNNY woman Gina Yashere will be at the Oxford Playhouse on March 5 as part of her 'Laugh Riot' tour.

The 40-year-old is known for appearing in Lenny Henry's sketch show in 2003 and 2004.

Tickets for the Beaumont Street gig cost £18.50, which starts at 7.30pm.

Call 01865 305305 for further details.

## Book night

THE Cornerstone Arts Centre in Didcot will host a book night next Tuesday, March 3.

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## A tale of two jobs

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Set in 1960s Brighton, the story follows an easily confused Francis Henshall becoming separately employed by two men.

And Francis must keep the two bosses from meeting in order to avoid each of them learning that he is also working for someone else.

Shaun Williamson, who plays gangster Charlie Clench in the production, is looking forward to the performances.

He said: "We have our own band called The Craze and when the audience come in, they will be greeted with a skiffle concert which is all very 1950s/60s music.

"Also, in between every scene, one of the cast members comes out and performs a little number which is again accompanied by The Craze, so it's a

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very musical play and different to what people have seen before."

The 49-year old, who is famous for playing Barry Evans in EastEnders from 1994 to 2004, added that he still gets called by his name in the soap on a daily basis.

"Every day I get called Barry instead of Shaun!" he said.

"But I'm very grateful and I hope I never stop becoming grateful for it because it gave me so much."

"It can be a millstone around your neck but in this business you're better off being known for something than nothing."

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• *Shaun Williamson as Charlie Clench*



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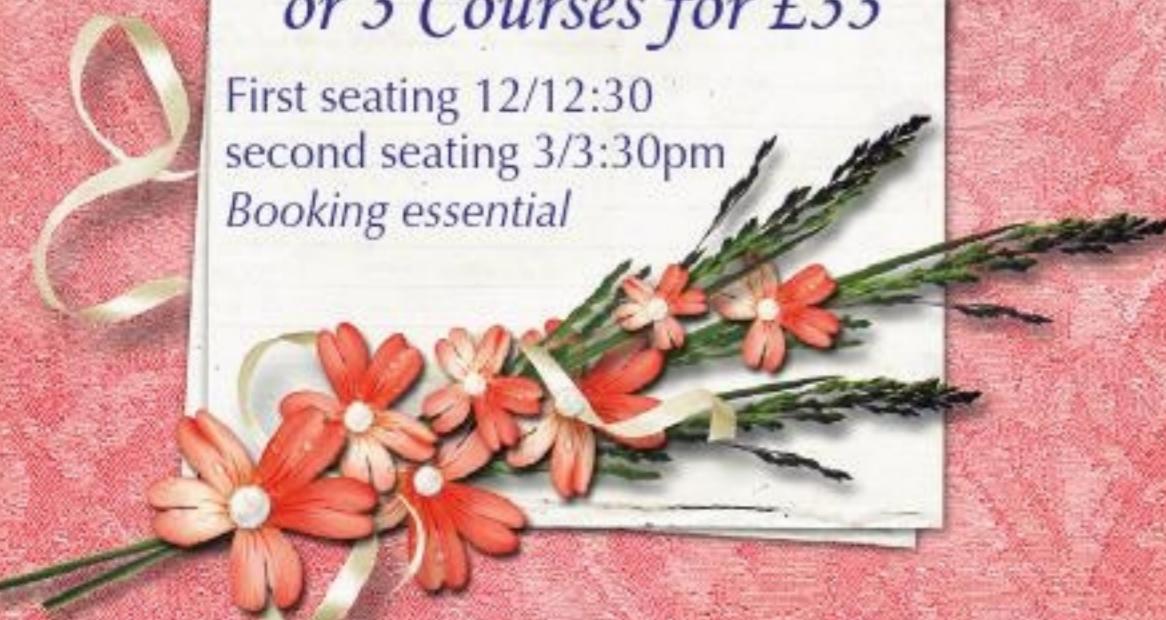
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### Susan Calman

FUNNY woman Susan Calman will be at The Mill Arts Centre in Banbury this evening, February 26.

The 40-year-old, known for her appearances on BBC Radio 4 panel show 'The News Quiz' is currently on her UK 'Ladylike' tour.

The show starts at 8pm.

### Birdman

LAST year's box office smash-hit, 'Birdman', will be shown at The Theatre Chipping Norton on Friday, March 13.

A washed-up actor who once played a globally iconic superhero must overcome his ego and family troubles in this film starring Michael Keaton.

The film will begin at 7.30pm, with tickets costing from £6 to £8.

### Youth jazz

THE popular National Youth Jazz Orchestra will be at the Oxford Playhouse next Friday, March 6.

Celebrating their 50th year of showcasing the country's most talented young jazz musicians, the young big band will showcase their swinging rhythm.

Tickets cost from £11 to £17, with the concert starting at 7.30pm.



**DOGS TRUST**, formerly known as the National Canine Defence League, is an animal welfare charity and humane society in the United Kingdom which specialises in the well-being of dogs.

The charity rehabilitates and finds new homes for dogs which have been abandoned or given up by their owners. People are encouraged to sponsor a dog for at least £1 a week, even if they are not able to rehome the dog. It also runs microchipping and neutering schemes in the United Kingdom and abroad, in order to reduce the number of unwanted litters of puppies and stray dogs put to sleep by other organisations.

Dogs Trust has over 100 rehoming centres across the UK, and its first international rehoming centre opened in November 2009 in Dublin. The charity claims never to put a healthy dog to sleep.

#### History

The National Canine Defence League (NCDL) was founded in 1891 at a meeting during the first Crufts show chaired by Lady Gertrude Stock. The NCDL campaigned against vivisection, unnecessary muzzling and prolonged chaining, as well as providing care for stray dogs. It also campaigned against cruel treatment of dogs by railway companies, who often refused to provide water for dogs. More unusually, in the 1920s, it provided AA wardens with pistols. This was because dogs and other animals were often involved in car accidents, and the pistols were provided to allow the wardens to euthanise the animal as a last resort in the worst cases. In 1957, the NCDL campaigned against the use of the Russian space dogs in space flight, organising a minute's silence in honour of Laika, who died in orbit from overheating and stress. In 2003, the NCDL was rebranded as Dogs Trust.

#### Slogans

The charity is best known for its slogan "A Dog is for Life, not just for Christmas", which is used either in full or shortened to "A Dog is for Life" in advertising. The phrase was created to reduce the number of dogs which are abandoned as unwanted by Clarissa Baldwin, the former Chief Executive of the charity. The slogan is a registered trademark. More recently it has adopted another slogan: "Dogs Trust Never Put a Healthy Dog Down".

#### Rehoming

Dogs Trust tries to rehome most dogs which it cares for and it runs 18 rehoming centres across the UK and Ireland, as well as two large mobile rehoming units known as Dogmobiles. These are large vehicles fitted with air conditioned kennels and are specially designed to tour the local area, carrying a small number of dogs from nearby rehoming centres that are desperately seeking new homes.

Dogs Trust never euthanises healthy dogs, however some dogs may have had a particularly bad start in life and would not be happy living in a normal home environment. The charity takes care of these dogs under its popular Sponsor a Dog scheme.

They have also created a sanctuary where selected dogs can live together free from excessive human contact.

At the beginning of June 2012, the charity opened its eighteenth UK rehoming centre in Leicestershire. Dogs Trust Loughborough aims to be the greenest animal rescue centre in the world. The centre runs on renewable energy from its biomass boiler, green roofs, under-floor heating, solar thermal panels, photovoltaic panels and a rainwater recycling system. The project will be constructed with the aim to achieve BREEAM (BRE Environment Assessment Method) outstanding classification and the highest levels of sustainability. The charity says the facilities will significantly reduce running costs.

#### Campaigns

Dogs Trust has campaigned against docking of tails and unnecessary euthanasia, such as that carried out on foxhounds after fox hunting was banned by the Hunting Act 2004. It also offers free neutering services in certain poorer countries and runs international training programmes for other animal welfare charities with the aim of reducing feral populations.

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# The three folk musketeers

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"We have performed there many times with different folk over the years," John McCusker told the Guardian.

"It's a brilliant gig for many reasons; it's always has an audience full of people who really love folk music and it's run by people who work incredibly hard to bring great music to the club - we always look forward to playing there."

He added: "The audience can expect lots of songs, tunes and some bad jokes!"

"The three of us don't see each other during the year very often as we are all busy playing with other people, so when we get together for this tour we really look forward to it."

John's musical journey started at the age of seven when his mother encouraged him to play the fiddle.

By James Richings

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By his mid-teens, the musician was in local youth orchestras and ceilidh bands before forming his own group 'Parcel O'Rogues' when he was 14.

A couple of years later, he gave up a place at the Royal Scottish Academy to be a member of the music group 'Battlefield Band', where he was a member for over 11 years.

Since then, the musician has been nominated and won many awards, with some describing the 41-year-old as one of the best fiddle players in the world.

"I didn't think I'd be this successful," John said.

"When I first started playing, the folk music scene was very different to what it is now.

"You had to travel to find like-minded people playing this funny music, so the idea of doing it for your job was never something I thought I would get the chance to do."

And the 41-year old from Scotland revealed what he has planned for when the shows are over.

"I have two daughters; Molly Mae



• (left to right) John McCusker, Michael McGoldrick and John Doyle (picture by Louis DeCarlo)

who is four and Jessica Rose who is four months, so when I get home they find me plenty of stuff to do to keep me busy!"

"I love being on the road but being home and watching movies with my wife and the girls is the best thing in the world."

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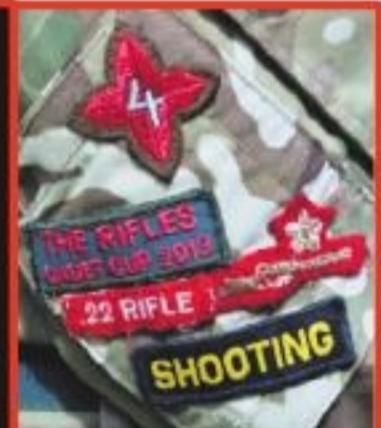
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**13/14 March**  
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**17 March 7.30pm**

**Oxford Playhouse, Oxford**

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**New Theatre Oxford**

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## Vauxhall release new model

**FOLLOWING** the success of recent Vauxhall Corsas, the manufacturer has announced that the latest Corsa VXR will encounter new modifications when it hits show rooms this May in the UK.

With an impressive 0-60mph in 6.5 seconds and a top speed of 143mph, the VXR will be able to produce 245Nm of torque from lower revs (between 1,900rpm and 5,800rpm, compared with 2,250rpm to 5,500rpm for the outgoing Nürburgring and ClubSport models).

This makes the VXR a potent performer between 50 and 75mph, which it can dispatch in just 6.6 seconds in fifth gear.

All the power is delivered to the front wheels via a second-generation six-speed transmission with a short, fluid gear change.

For the first time, Vauxhall is offering a two-stage switchable electronic stability programme (ESP) and traction control (TC) with the new Corsa VXR model.

**REVIEW:** Vauxhall Corsa VXR  
By James Richings

In competition mode, the traction control is inactive, while the ESP is relaxed to allow less intervention.

For track use, the ESP can be fully disabled.

New modifications on this VXR include standard bi-xenon lighting and a choice of six exterior colours, which help the new Corsa VXR stand out in its class.

The interior also shows an impressive kit to the driver.

With standard Recaro seats, a leather, flat-bottomed steering wheel, sports pedals, heated front windscreen and IntelliLink connectivity for Apple iOS and Android smartphones, the latest Vauxhall Corsa VXR is something to show off.

A small scoop is located below the bonnet and side-sill extensions manage to help enhance the Corsa VXR's

performance credentials further still.

At the rear, a spoiler provides meaningful downforce over the back axle, and twin Remus exhaust pipes further distinguish it from regular Corsas.

Also, Vauxhall is offering an optional performance package, which includes certain features previously seen in the outgoing Nürburgring and ClubSport models.

Highlights on the new model include a Drexler limited-slip differential, larger 330mm diameter Brembo front brake discs, 18-inch alloy wheels, and more focused FSD damper settings.

For further information about the latest Vauxhall Corsa VXR, which has been scheduled for release this May, visit the company's website: [vauxhall.co.uk](http://vauxhall.co.uk).



• Vauxhall Corsa VXR

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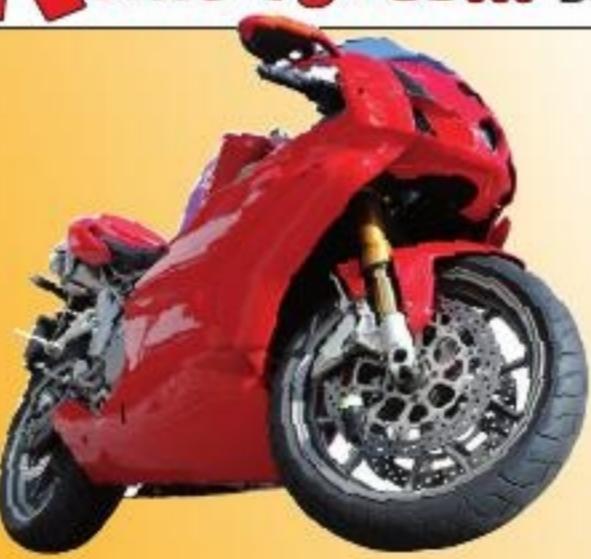
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# Disastrous start costs London Welsh again

Early 27-point deficit leads to defeat against Gloucester

LONDON Welsh paid the price for a poor start as they were beaten 48-10 away to Gloucester in the Aviva Premiership on Saturday.

The Exiles shipped 27 points in as many minutes, but rallied to prevent a repeat of the colossal defeats meted out to them by Wasps and Saracens earlier in the season.

Ross Moriarty, Charlie Sharples and Matt Kvesic all powered over for the hosts during a devastating opening spell, to which the Exiles had no answer.

Welsh did hit back after the break as Carl Kirwan crossed to reduce the deficit, but they faded again late in the game.

Two superb tries from Henry Purdy left the visitors reeling before Sila Puafisi dived over to complete another heavy beating for Welsh.

Despite the defeat, head coach Justin Burnell was full of praise for his side's battling qualities. He said: "I thought we did com-

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pete today.

"I didn't think it was as one-sided as it was last week (vs Sale Sharks).

"I thought we were more than in the game.

"It's a totally different changing room today.

"Last week they were distraught but today we came out and were in a fight, and that's what London Welsh is about."

The Exiles remain bottom of the Premiership table with just one point from their 15 league games.

Welsh host London Irish on Saturday at the Kassam Stadium (kick-off 2.30pm).



• Carl Kirwan (left) scored the Exiles' only try (picture by Martin John)

## Weepu on his way out

Former All Black to leave London Welsh this summer with move to French side Oyonnax

PIRI Weepu will leave London Welsh at the end of the season for French Top 14 side Oyonnax.

The former World Cup-winning All Black scrum half made a surprise move to the Exiles shortly before the start of the 2014-15 Aviva Premiership season, just six months after suffering a career-threatening stroke.

Although Weepu initially signed a two-year deal with the Exiles, it included a release clause in the event of relegation from the Premiership.

And following their 25th defeat of the season at Gloucester on Saturday, top-flight survival is looking increasingly unlikely.

Weepu has now agreed a two-year deal with the French side, who currently sit in eighth place in the Top 14.

Other high-profile players who have already announced their intention to leave the Exiles at the end of the season include No 8 Opeti Fonua and flanker Carl Kirwan.

Fonua will join Leicester Tigers, while Kirwan has agreed a deal with current Championship leaders Worcester Warriors, who themselves suffered Premiership relegation last season.

Both Fonua and Weepu were among 26 new signings announced by the Exiles before the start of the season following their promotion from the Championship.



• Piri Weepu (right, picture by Martin John)

City's goalie nightmare

GOALKEEPER Ali Aksoy became the fourth Oxford City goalkeeper to be sent off in six games during their 4-3 Conference North defeat to Tamworth on Saturday.

Both regular goalkeepers, Salva de la Cruz and Mark Scott, were suspended for the trip to Staffordshire, forcing City boss Justin Merritt to recruit Aksoy.

But his luck was also out when, just three minutes into the second half and with City leading 3-2, he was also dismissed for a foul on Tamworth's Dave Hibbert.

Midfielder Declan Benjamin was forced to go in goal for a third time this season and the hosts went on to take victory, with second-half goals from Hibbert and Leon Mettam, adding to early headed goals from Shane Clarke and Josh Sampson.

Adi Yussuf, Lee Henderson and Tom Winters' goals ultimately proved in vain for City.

Regular keeper De La Cruz was back from his suspension for Tuesday's trip to Chorley, while Scott was on the bench as City picked up a hard-earned 1-1 draw.

They trailed to a James Dean header before Henderson netted his second goal in two games with 10 minutes left to give City a point.

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# MacDonald's double lifts U's

## Hat-trick hero Ingram saves Ardley in extra time

LUKE Ingram struck three times as Ardley United staged a remarkable comeback to win 6-3 after extra time at Thatcham Town in the Hellenic League Bluefin Challenge Cup third round on Saturday.

Two goals from Yashwa Romeo and a third from Marc Thompson appeared to be enough to send the home side through, despite efforts from Luke and Conor Ingram.

But a last-minute equaliser from Luke Ingram forced extra time and Ardley ran away with it in the additional period, as Ingram completed his treble alongside goals from Troy Bryan and Ricky Johnson.

It was a poor week for Thame United in the Premier Division with a 1-0 defeat at struggling Brimscombe & Thrupp on Saturday, followed by a 2-0 reverse at home to Thatcham Town on Tuesday.

Milton United were also held to a 0-0 draw at home to Shrivenham on Saturday.

## Stars shine with vital victory over Solent Devils

OXFORD City Stars picked up a vital win in their National Ice Hockey League 1 fight for survival as they beat Solent Devils 5-4 on Sunday.

Nick Oliver and Josh Florey each scored twice and Josh Oliver added another to complete the crucial victory.

Florey scored first to give Stars the advantage, although Andrew Magee was soon able to equalise for the Devils.

Josh Oliver was next on the scoresheet, but once again the Devils levelled, this time through Mitchell Murray to make the score 2-2 going into the final period.

Florey put Stars back ahead, before Nick Oliver increased their advantage before George Norcliffe pegged them back to just a one-goal lead.

Ninety seconds later Devils were level again as Drew Campbell scored, but Nick Oliver was Oxford's hero as he grabbed the winner for Stars in the final moments of the match.

The win keeps Stars two points clear of bottom side Cardiff Devils, and are within four of eighth-placed London Raiders.

Only six games of the season remain, and Stars are back in action this Saturday as they host Bracknell Hornets.

ALEX MacDonald was delighted to get a first win under his belt since signing for Oxford United from Burton Albion as the U's beat fellow strugglers Mansfield Town 3-0 at the Kassam Stadium on Saturday.

MacDonald scored his first goals for the club in the win, netting twice to put United two goals ahead.

Top scorer Danny Hylton then sealed the victory from the penalty spot.

It was an important personal milestone for MacDonald, but the most pleasing aspect for him was claiming a vital victory as the U's look to climb away

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from danger at the bottom of the League Two table.

He said: "It looked like a relegation fight, but we got the goal and from then on we never looked like we were going to concede after that.

"The boys are buzzing, everyone's buzzing, so it was just a massive weight off our shoulders.

He continued: "It's been on our minds all week and we've trained well, but we're by no means safe."

"We need to take that on to next Saturday now and keep it going."

Head coach Michael Appleton praised his side's performance in difficult conditions at the Kassam on Saturday afternoon.

"It was a really scrappy game and obviously the pitch isn't really conducive to a passing game," he said.

"But I thought we stuck at it and we did the basics really well."

"We headed, we tackled, we stopped crosses and we stopped shots and we had a little bit of quality when we needed it in the final third."

Oxford travel to in-form Portsmouth on Saturday looking to make it back-to-back wins in the league for the first time since October.

The hosts are unbeaten in their previous six matches, but Appleton is relishing the clash with his former club.

He added: "Portsmouth is not an easy place to go, but I'd imagine we'll have a few down there and it will be one hell of a game and atmosphere."

"We'll be looking forward to it and we'll have a good week now to rest and recuperate and prepare for what's going to be a difficult game."



• Alex MacDonald scored Oxford's opener on Saturday (picture by Steve Daniels)

## Lotus sets the pace at Catalunya test

LOTUS F1 were the star performers at last week's pre-season test in Barcelona, as the Enstone-based team led the way on three of the four days.

Maldonado was top on Thursday and Saturday, while Grosjean was fastest on Sunday.

The pair, along with reserve driver Jolyon Palmer, completed

361 laps over the four days

Lotus' technical director Nick Chester said: "We've enjoyed a solid first test in Barcelona with good reliability and encouraging performance."

He continued: "The biggest positive we have seen so far is the reliability of the car which is enabling us to push along with

our evaluations."

Meanwhile, Williams Martini Racing completed more than 400 laps over the course of the test.

Felipe Massa was fastest for the Grove-based squad, ending the day in third place on Friday.

Valtteri Bottas managed to

come fifth on Sunday, while reserve driver Susie Wolff was eighth on the Thursday.

Rod Nelson, Williams' chief test and support engineer, said: "Throughout the whole test we have gathered a lot of data and are prepared for the final test."

The last test starts today.



• Romain Grosjean was quickest on Sunday (picture courtesy of Lotus F1)

## Harlequins condemned to another league defeat

OXFORD Harlequins suffered another defeat on Saturday as they were comfortably beaten 35-19 by Old Patesians.

The result marked 'Quins 13th loss of the season in the National League 3 South West, in what has proved a difficult

year for the Oxford side.

They currently sit 12th in the standings with 32 points, four behind next-placed Old Redcliffians.

And it is the Redcliffians that 'Quins face in their next match on Saturday.

Elsewhere, Witney RFC recorded their seventh consecutive win after a narrow 18-15 victory over Northamptonshire-based Towcestrians.

The West Oxfordshire side are now up to fifth in the South West 1 East standings following their

impressive winning streak, and are just two points behind Swindon in fourth.

But there was disappointment for Grove in the same league, as they lost 20-17 away to Devizes.

They sit ninth in the stand-

## Sport Bites

### Hawks lose

HOCKEY: Oxford Hawks were narrowly defeated by the league leaders on Saturday, as they lost 3-2 away to Old Georgians.

Kit Cutter and Will Phillips were on the scoresheet for Hawks, but it wasn't enough to pick up an unlikely win against the South Hockey League Premier Division pacesetters.

And in the same league, Oxford University were able to pick up a draw with Spencer, following goals from James Arch and Joe Foster.

Hawks face Lewes while University host Staines in their next matches on Saturday.

### Smith sixth

MOTOGP: Oxford motor-bike ace Bradley Smith set the sixth-fastest time at pre-season testing in Malaysia yesterday.

His time of 1:59.883 was within a second of reigning champion Marc Marquez, who ended the session fastest.

The first race of the season proper is on March 29 at the Losail circuit in Qatar.

### Stevens signed

FORMULA ONE: Manor Marussia, who last season were based in Banbury, have announced Will Stevens as their first driver as they attempt to make the grid for the 2015 season.

Stevens drove for Caterham in a one-off appearance at Abu Dhabi last year, finishing the race in 17th.

The team came out of administration last week, and are hoping to use an updated version of their 2014 car for the coming year.

**More Sport inside:** [Ice Hockey](#): Stars shine with vital victory over Solent Devils | [Motorsport](#): Smith sixth

# ABINGDON SLIP BACK INTO DROP ZONE AFTER WEEKEND WASHOUT

**Boss Gary Ackling left disappointed after Oxford City Nomads postponement**

ABINGDON United suffered a frustrating weekend following the postponement of their Hellenic League Premier Division clash at Oxford City Nomads last Saturday.

United had rekindled their hopes of avoiding relegation with an impressive 2-0 away victory over Bracknell Town the previous week, but were denied the chance to continue their upturn in form by a waterlogged pitch at Oxford City's Marsh Lane.

It's a situation that has become depressingly familiar to manager Gary Ackling.

"That's been the story of our season really," he said.

"For various reasons we've just

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not been able to put back-to-back results together.

"We really wanted to follow up what was a great result at Bracknell with a good performance against Oxford City Nomads.

"Unfortunately, circumstances dictated that we couldn't do that."

Abingdon dropped back into the relegation zone as both Newbury and Brimscombe & Thrupp took advantage with rare victories.

It leaves United two points from safety, but with games in hand on the sides immediately

above them in the table.

And Ackling believes Saturday's match at home to Holyport is vital.

"We go into the game with a lot of confidence and we're looking to take the game to Holyport," he said.

"This is a vitally important game for us because we have a really tough batch coming up, so we really need to make sure we get three points from this one."

"I think we need another three wins over the rest of the season."

He added: "Nine points should be a minimum to see us to safety, but it depends on what the other sides do."



• Abingdon United manager Gary Ackling

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